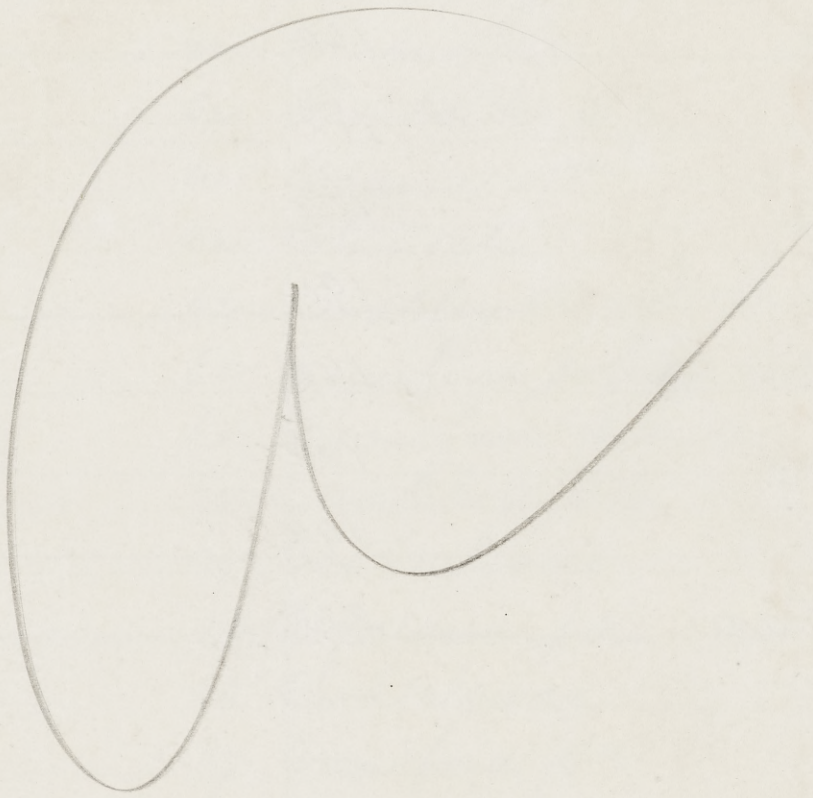

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No. 1

# In the Justice's Court of Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

John Rodriguez
The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe
True name Felix Figueroa
Defendant

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. 1895 | PROCEEDINGS. John Rodriguez |
|---|---|
| Jan 7 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " " | Warrant returned and filed showing service Defendant in Court and says his true name is Felix Figueroa and is informed of the charge against him and is informed of all his legal rights whereupon he pleads not guilty. |
| " " | Ordered that he be admitted to bail in the sum of $100.00 committed to jail |
| " 9 | On motion of defendant trial of this cause is set for Jan 11th 1895 at 2 o'clock P. M. |
| " 10 | Subpoena issued this day — for the People |
| " 11 | Venire for jurors issued |
| " 11 | Subpoena for defendant issued. |
| " 11 | At the time set all parties are present in Court. The trial proceeds. John Rhymes, W. C. Marshal T. A. Bell, W. M. Rose, John Sullivan J. R. Langley J. H. Travors, A. J. Bearden, J. H. Anderson D. C. Tucker, J. M. Dow and D. Bartholomew are examined as to their qualifications to act as jurors all ~~are~~ accepted but J. M. Dow who was excused by defendant by consent trial proceeds with the 11 jurors and are sworn to try the cause, Rosie De Joy, Steve Truett A. Mialdo were sworn and testify in behalf of the People Felix Figueroa sworn and testifies for defendant. The matter is submitted and the Court instructed the jury to acquit the defendant there being not sufficient evidence to convict. This the jury did without leaving the jury box whereupon the Court orders that the defendant be discharged. |

Joe Figueroa sworn as interpreter.

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Arrest by Dumas
Discharged

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No. 2

# In the Justice's Court of 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe Wilson
Henry Wilson — Defendant

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Lui Smith |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 8 | Complaint filed and warrant issued to Abin. |
| " | " | Defendant in Court and says his true name is Henry Wilson and is informed of the charge against him and is informed of his legal rights whereupon he pleads not guilty |
| " | " | Ordered that he be admitted to bail in the sum of $100.00. Committed to jail — |
| " | 9 | On motion of defense trial set for Jan 10th 1895 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 10 | Subpoena Issued. |
| " | 10 | Subpoena served ~~and~~ returned and filed. |
| | 10 | Warrant returned served and filed + jury waived |
| " | 10 | Defendant in Court and the trial proceeds. Lui Smith Peter Dubreta, James Roberts and Charles Larsen are sworn and testify in behalf of the People. The matter is submitted without any testimony being offered by defendant and is by the Court taken under advisement until Jan 11th 1893 at 9:30 A.M. |
| Jan. | 11 | Defendant in Court and the Court finds the defendant guilty as charged. Time being waived for final judgement as follows, viz: Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offence of Petty Larceny committed in Fresno County on the 8th day of Jan. 1895 as charged in the complaint that you the defendant Henry Wilson be fined in the sum of $10.00 |

S. C. St John
Justice of the Peace

Arrest Dismissed
Fine $10.00 Not paid

No. 9.

# In the Justice's Court of Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Sam Lewald — Defendant

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. A. Gartenlaub |
|---|---|
| 1895 Jan 8 | Complaint filed and warrant issued to (J. Albin) |
| ~~Jan. 19~~ | ~~Summons returned showing service in 3rd Tp. Jan 18th 1895.~~ |

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No. 4

# In the Justice's Court of Tivid Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Charles Saunders — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

Harriett Saunders

| 1895. DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|---|
| Jan. | 9 | Complaint filed and warrant issued |
| " | " | Warrant served, returned and filed |
| " | " | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Charles Saunders". |
| " | 9 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waived time and pleads not guilty |
| " | 9 | The Court being well acquainted with the defendant he permitted him to go on his own recognizance |

Died before trial

No. 5

# In the Justice's Court of Fresno Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe
Hugh Headley — Defendant

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff
D. S. Ewing
Attorney for Defendant

1895

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. F. M. Pickett |
|---|---|
| Jan 9 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| Feb 15 | Warrant returned and filed. |
| Feby 15 | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Hugh Headley." |
| " | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. |
| " 15 | Defendants bail fixed at $250.00 not given |
| " 15 | Defendants trial set for Feby 25/95 at 10 A. M |
| " 25 | Venire issued for jury. |
| " 25 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the people |
| " 25 | At the time set all parties are in Court including defendant and his counsel, and the trial proceeds. O. H. Minnett, W. H. Harris C. L. Jones, Chas. Lwison, J. J. Campbell, C. W. Musick, G. Braciard, J. W. Ball A. F. Saffell, P. W. Simms, W. M. Ball & A. J. Elmore are selected and sworn to try the cause as jurors. F. M. Picket, & S. S. Crutcher are sworn and testify in behalf of the people. The prosecution rests. Defense rests. The matter is argued and submitted and submitted and J. M. Albin is sworn to take charge of the jury who retire to deliberate and afterward are brought into Court with the following verdict. Fresno Feb. 25-1895 We the jury find the defendant guilty as charged, P. W. Simms Forman. The jury is discharged and the defendant waives time for judgment and the Court enters judgement as follows Viz: Wherefore it is by this Court ordered as a punishment for the offense of Petty Larceny committed in Fresno County on the 15th day of November 1894 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the said defendant Hugh Headley be imprisoned in the the County jail of Fresno County for the term of 120 days. |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

120 ds. Com.

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No. 6

# In the Justice's Court of Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Thomas Mc Adams — Defendant

Action: Burglary

Demand $

Dist Atty. — Attorney for Plaintiff

W. K. Harris — Attorney for Defendant

1895

| DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. W. V. Buckner |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 10 | Complaint filed and warrant issued to Albin |
| " | 12 | Warrant returned showing servin Jan 11th 1895 and filed |
| " | 12 | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "my true name is Thomas Mc Adams" |
| " | 12 | The defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the charge against him — and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty |
| " | 12 | Defendants bail fixed at $500. not given |
| " | 12 | By agreement of counsel the hearing of examination is set for Jan 18/95 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 14 | Foreign subpoena issued in behalf of defendants |
| " | 14 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the People |
| " | 15 | Bail Bond filed with Theodore Dunaravis & Jas E. Peck as sureties in $500.00 |
| " | 18 | Foreign subpoena returned and filed |
| " | 18 | The Court having received a telephone message from W. V. Buckner sheriff of Kings County that the train bearing the defendant and witness in this cause had been delayed this cause is continued to 1:30 P.M. of this day — |
| " | 18 | On motion of District Attorney and consent of Atty for defendant cause continued to 3 P.M. this day. |
| " | 18 | All parties in Court at time set and counsel for defendant asked for continuance for four weeks to Feb. 15th 1895 at 10 o'clock A.M. Which upon his filing an affidavit stating that on account of illness of two important witnesses for defendant the continuance was necessary was consented to by D.A. Jones & granted by the Court |
| " | 18 | Affidavit Filed — |
| " | 24 | Defendant files additional Bail Bond in $500. with J.C. Boss & E.A. Hall as sureties |
| Feb. | 9 | Subpoena issued in behalf of defendant |
| " | 15 | Subpoena returned & filed |
| " | 15 | At the time set defendant in court and his counsel is present and the examination proceeds. Lon Brandon is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination. Robt Smalley, W. V. Buckner are sworn and testify in behalf of the people. A. D. Turner, J. H. Fox, W. D. Smith, L. McDonald are sworn and testify in behalf of the defendant. The matter is argued and submitted and by the Court taken under advisement until Feby 16/95 at 10 o'clock. at time set defendant in Court and it is by the court ordered that the |
| " | 16 | defendant Thos. Mc Adams be held to answer the charge of Burglary before the Superior Court of Fresno County with bail fixed at $500.00 |
| | | S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |
| " | 16 | Defendant files Bail Bond in $500. with L. McDonald & W. H. Lane as sureties. |

Held to Answer.

No. 7

# In the Justice's Court of Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Frank Mc Adams — Defendant

Action Burglary

Demand $

G. W. Jones — Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. W. O. Buckner |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 10 | Complaint filed and warrant issued to Abrio. |
| " | 12 | Warrant returned showing service on Jan 11th 1895 and filed |
| " | 12 | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "my true name is Frank Mc Adams." |
| " | 12 | The defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty |
| " | 12 | Defendants bail fixed at $500. Not given |
| " | 14 | Foreign subpoena issued |
| " | 15 | Bail Bond filed with Morris J. Henan & Theodore Dumarais as sureties |
| " | 18 | Foreign subpoena returned and filed |
| " | 18 | The Court having received a telephone message from W. O. Buckner Sheriff of Kings County that the train bearing the defendant and witnesses in this cause had been delayed this cause is continued to 1:30 P.M. this day. |
| " | 18 | On motion of Dist. Attorney and the consent of counsel for defendant cause continued to 3 P.M. this day. |
| " | 18 | All parties in Court at time set and counsel for defendant asked for continuance to Feb. 15th 1895 at 10. A.M. Which upon his filing an affidavit stating that on account of illness of two important witnesses for defendant the continuance was necessary, was consented to by G.W. Jones and granted by the Court. |
| " | 18 | Affidavit filed |
| " | 24 | Defendant files additional Bail Bond in $500.00 with J.C. Bers & E.A. Hall as sureties |
| Feby. | 9 | Subpoena issued in behalf of defendant |
| " | 15 | Subpoena returned & filed |
| " | 15 | At this stage the defendant in Court and his counsel present. The examination proceeds. Lon Bearden is appointed short hand reporter. Robt. Swalley & W. O. Buckner are sworn and testify in behalf of the people. The same testimony is by consent admitted in behalf of this defendant as that offered by defense in the case against defendant Thos. Mc Adams. The matter is argued and submitted and by the Court taken under advisement until Feby. 16/95 at 10 A. M. |
| " | 16 | At time set defendant in Court and it is by the Court ordered that the defendant Frank Mc Adams be held to answer the charge of Burglary before the Superior Court of Fresno County with bail fixed at $500. S. St. John Justice of the Peace |
| " | 16 | Defendant files Bail Bond in $500. with L. Mc Donald & M. K. Harris as sureties. |

Held to answer

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No. 8

# In the Justice's Court of Kird Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Melvin Coulden
true name Melvin Congdon — Defendant

Action: Burglary

Demand $

A. E. Brown
Attorney for Plaintiff

W. D. Crichton
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. W. O. Buckner |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 10 | Complaint filed and warrant issued |
| March | 11 | Warrant returned and filed |
| " | 11 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Melvin Congdon" |
| " | 11 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises |
| " | 11 | Defendants bail fixed at $1500.00 not given |
| " | 11 | Defendants examination set for Mch 22/95 at 9 A.M. |
| " | 16 | Subpoena in behalf of People issued |
| " | 22 | Subpoena returned and filed |
| " | 22 | On account of unavoidable absence of witness Counsel for the people and defendant agree to continue examination to Mch 23/95 at 9 A.M. |
| " | 23 | At the time set all parties in court and the examination proceeds. Miss Lou Beardee is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination. Robt. Smalley, and W. D. Smith are sworn and testify in behalf of the People. The People rest. Defendant rests. The matter is submitted and the court finds that it appears from the testimony that the crime of Burglary as charged in the complaint herein has been committ and that there is sufficient cause to believe the defendant guilty thereof. Wherefore it is ordered that the defendant Melvin Congdon be held to answer to the charge of Burglary before the Superior Court with bail fixed at $1500.00 |

S. C. Shelton
Justice of the Peace

Examined
Held to answer

No. 9

# In the Justice's Court of Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Owen Riley — Defendant

Action Perjury.

Demand $

O. E. Snow
Attorney for Plaintiff

W. T. Porter
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. G. L. Moore. |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 10 | Complaint File and Warrant issued |
| " | 11 | Warrant returned served and filed Defendant in Court and stated his true name was Owen Riley - Duly arraigned and informed of the charge against him & his legal rights. He waives time & pleads not guilty Defendants bail fixed at $1000 Not given |
| " | 12 | Subpoena issued for the People |
| " | 12 | On request of counsel for defense examination set at 1:30 P.M. Jan 12 - 1895 |
| " | 12 | Subpoena issued for the defendant |
| " | 12 | Subpoena returned and filed |
| " | 12 | By consent of Counsel examination continued to ✕ |
| " | " | By request of prosecution, examination set for Jan 15th 1895 at 2 P. M. |
| " | 15 | Subpoenas for the People & defendant returned and filed |
| " | 15 | At time set all parties in Court and defendant asks time for counsel Granted. |
| | 15 | at time set all parties are in Court and the examination proceeds - O. Scribner is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination. H. J. Austin, G. L. Moore S. F. Frazier and F. M. Currie are sworn and testify in behalf of the People - The defendants counsel moves the Court for a dismissal on the ground that the evidence is insufficient to put the defendant on his defence. The motion is granted and the defendant discharged. |

O. C. D. St. John
Justice of the Peace.

Arrest Shaw
Discharged.

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No. 10

# In the Justice's Court of Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Frank De Bar
Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

~~Frank De Bar~~

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Officer Herrington |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 12 | Complaint Filed and Warrant issued |
| " | " | Warrant returned showing service ~~return~~ and filed |
| " | 12 | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Frank De Bar |
| " | 12 | The Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the Charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty and waives time for judgement and the Court renders judgement as follows. viz: |

It is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offence of Disturbing the Peace committed as charged in the complaint that you the said defendant Frank De Bar be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of ten days.

D. C. St John
Justice of the Peace

Arrest Barrett
10 days.

No. 11

# In the Justice's Court of 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Walter Bailey, Chas. Peterson
James Brown, & Geo. Harris
Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Officer Herrington |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 12 | Complaint filed and warrant issued |
| " | 12 | Warrant returned showing service and filed |
| " | 12 | The defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My name is Walter Bailey", "My name is Chas. Peterson", "My is James Brown" and "My name is George Harris". |
| " | 12 | The defendants in Court and duly arrigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead as follows. Walter Bailey pleads not guilty, and is bail fixed at $250.00 not Given Charles Peterson, James Brown and George Harris plead guilty and waive time for judgement and the Court renders judgement as follows viz: It is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offence of vagrancy as charged in the complaint that you the said defendant Charles Peterson, that you the said defendant George Harris be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 30 days |
| | | The court ordered Jas. Brown to appear Jan 12th 1895. at 2 P.M. for sentence. |
| Jan | 16 | Venire for jurors and subpoena for witnesses issued in the cause against Walter Bailey - On motion of defendant trial set Jan 16/95 at 2 P.M. |
| " | 16 | Defendant in Court and trial proceeds. J. W. Van Tassell, A. P. Darling, Geo Mathison, P. L. Blanks. H. G. Burns. F. P. Murry, S. B. Holton, J. H. Favors M. C. McGhan, J. A. Bradford, F. W. Smith & W. Nidever are selected and sworn as Jurors to try the cause, Jack Barrett, S. O. Gener. & L. C. Smith are sworn and testify in behalf of the People and John Albin, John Dugar, R. O. Distenel & Walter Bailey are sworn and testify in behalf of the defendant. The is submitted and Dep. Constable Cruteher is sworn to take charge of the jury who retire and afterward bring in a verdict ~~of~~ as follows: "we the jury find the defendant not guilty" Whereupon the Court ordered the defendant discharged. |

Arrest Barrett

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace.

Walter Bailey Dischgd. Geo. Peterson 30 ds. Harris 30 ds. Jas. Brown Floater.

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No. 12

# In the Justice's Court of Tivd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe true name Elisha Garrison — Defendant

Action: Grand Larceny

Demand $

G. W. Jones — Attorney for Plaintiff

J. Lanning — Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Mrs. E. Winn |
|---|---|
| Jan 12 | Complaint filed and warrant issued. Del to Albin |
| " 12 | Warrant returnd showing service Jan 12/95. and filed. |
| " 12 | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "my true name is Elisha Garrison. |
| | The defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court informed of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty |
| | Defendants bail fixed at $500. Not given |
| " 16 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the People - (delivered to Albin) |
| " " | Subpoena issued in behalf of Defendant ( " " Dumas) |
| " " | By consent of defendant examination set for Jan 17th 1895 at 9 A. M. |
| " 17 | Subpoena for the people returned and filed |
| " 17 | At the time set all parties in Court and and councel for the People and defendant are present and the examination proceeds, Miss Lou Bearden is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination - Mrs. E. Winn, L. E. Roland John Dumas, Louis Albin and Caleb Bailey are sworn and testify in behalf of the People - The people rest. |
| | By consent of counsel cause is continued to P. M. this day |
| | At time set all parties are in Court, Defendants counsel submits the case without offering any testimony - |
| | The Court takes the matter under advisement until Jan. 18th 1895 at 10 A. M. |
| Jan 18 | Defendant in Court and there being no sufficient cause to believe the defendant Elisha Garrison guilty of the charge of Grand Larceny mentioned in the complaint I order that he be discharged - |
| | S. C. St. John |
| | Justice of the Peace - |

Arrest Dumas

Discharged.

No. 13.

# In the Justice's Court of Third Township,

County of Trinity State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

John Weis
Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Officer Herrington |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 14 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | " | Warrant returned showing service and returned |
| " | " | The defendant in Court and to the Court states my true name is John Weis the defendant was thereupon duly arraigned and being by the Court informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty and also waives time for judgement and the Court renders judgement as follows viz: It is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the the offence committed (disturbing the peace) as charged in the complaint that you the said defendant John Weis pay a fine of $5.60 |

S. C. St. John.
Justice of the Peace.

Fined $5.60 Not paid

14

No. 14

# In the Justice's Court of Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Carrie Lewis
Defendant

Action
Insane Person

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. | Gus Anderson |
|---|---|---|
| Jan 14 | Complaint filed and warrant issued | |
| " " | Defendant taken before Superior Court | |

No. 15

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

**The People of the State of California.** Plaintiff

vs.

M. A. Markarian Defendant

Action Battery.

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. A. Sugins |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 17 | **Complaint filed and Warrant issued.** |
| " | 17 | **Warrant served, returned and filed.** |
| " | 17 | The defendant in Court and to the Court sais that his true name is M. A. Markaria. whereupon he was duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of his legal rights and the nature of the charge against him and on his own motion was given time in which to plead. Time to plead was set for 10 o'clock Jan 18th 1895. |
| " | 18 | Defendant in Court at time set and pleads not guilty |
| " | 18 | Defendant being well known to the Court is permitted to go on his own recognizance. |
| " | 18 | Defendants trial set for Jany. 21st 1895 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 18 | Defendant in Court and asks to be permitted to withdraw his plea of guilty and enter a plea of guilty which is granted— Defendant waives time for judgement and the Court renders judgement as follows, viz: Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged and a punishment for the offense of Battery committed at Fresno County on the 17th day of January 1895. as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the said defendant M. A. Markarian do pay a fine of $5.60 |

J. C. S. Johns
Justice of the Peace

Arrest by Dumas

✓ Fined $5.60 Paid. Pd. to County Treasurer

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No. 16.

# In the Justice's Court of The Fresno Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff

vs.

Elisha Garrison
Defendant

Action
Petty Larceny
Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dumas |
|---|---|
| Jan 18 | **Complaint filed and Warrant issued.** |
| " 18 | **Warrant served, returned and filed.** |
| " 18 | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Elisha Garrison |
| " 18 | The defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him, and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty and waives time for judgement and the Court renders judgement as follows viz: |

Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of Petty Larceny committed in Fresno County on the 12th day of Jany. 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant Elisha Garrison be confined in the County Jail of the County of Fresno for the term of Sixty Days—

S. C. St John
Justice of the Peace.

Arrest by Dumas
60 days. Committed

No. 17

17

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

**The People of the State of California.**

Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe & Richard Roe &

Chas. Shilling Defendant

W.C. Fry, J.T. Gilbert & Chas Shilling

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J.B. Wilson |
|---|---|---|
| 1895 | | |
| Jan | 22 | **Complaint filed and Warrant issued.** |
| " | 22 | **Warrant served, returned and filed.** |
| " | 22 | The defendants in Court and to the Court state "My name is J.T. Gilbert" "My name is W.C. Fry, & "My name is Chas. Shilling, whereupon they are informed |
| " | 22 | by the Court of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises, they thereupon waive time and J.T. Gilbert pleads "not guilty", W.C. Fry pleads not guilty and Charles Shilling pleads guilty |
| " | 22 | The above action is dimissed as to J.T. Gilbert and W.C. Fry there being no sufficient evidence to convict— |
| " | 22 | Defendant Charles Shilling in Court and waives time for judgement and the Court renders judgement as follows viz; Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offence of Petty Larceny committed in Fresno County on the 21st day of Jany. 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant Charles Shilling be confined in the County Jail of the County of Fresno for the term of Ninety days— |

S C St John
Justice of the Peace—

Arrest Dumas
J.T. Gilbert discharged
W.C. Fry "
Charles Shilling 90 days.

18 ✓

No. 18

# In the Justice's Court of ~~Fresno.~~ The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

**The People of the State of California.**

Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe & Richard Roe & Charles Shilling

Defendant

Action

Search Warrant

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

J. T. Gilbert, W. C. Fry & Charles Shilling

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|
| Jan 22 | ~~Affidavit Complaint~~ Search Warrant filed and Warrant issued. |
| " 22 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " 22 | |

No. 19

# In the Justice's Court of Fresno. The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

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|---|---|
| The People of the State of California. Plaintiff vs. John Doe Stoner Defendant | Action Petty Larceny<br>Demand $<br>Attorney for Plaintiff<br>Attorney for Defendant |

L. McChin

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|
| JAN 25 1895 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| JAN 25 1895 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| | Not found |

20 ✓

No. 20

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

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|---|---|
| The People of the State of California. Plaintiff vs. John Doe Stoner Defendant | Action Petty Larceny<br>Demand $<br>Attorney for Plaintiff<br>Attorney for Defendant |

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. E. Gottschalk |
|---|---|
| JAN 25 1895 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| JAN 25 1895 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| | Not found |

No. 21

21

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Thomas Murphy Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|
| JAN 26 1895 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| JAN 26 1895 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| Jan 26 | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Thomas Murphy. |
| " 26 | The defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises the defendant waives time and pleads not guilty |
| " 26 | Defendants bail fixed at $100.00 not given Defendants trial set for Feb. 16th 1895 at 10 A. M. |
| Feb 16 | Defendants trial continued without date and defendant permitted to go on his own recognizance |

Floated.

22 ✓

No. 22.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

**The People of the State of California** Plaintiff

vs.

Daniel Holland Defendant

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $ F

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Herringtown | 189 |
|---|---|---|---|
| Jan | 28 | **Complaint filed and Warrant issued.** | |
| Jan | 28 | **Warrant served, returned and filed.** | |
| Jan | 28 | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Daniel Holland" | |
| Jan | 28 | The defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises) he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. | |
| Jan | 28 | Defendants bail fixed at $100.00 not given | |
| " | 28 | On motion of defendant trial set for Mch 4/95 at 10 AM | |
| Mch | 4 | Defendants trial continued without date and he is permitted to go on his own recognizance | |

Located.

No. 23

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

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|---|---|
| The People of the State of California, Plaintiff<br>vs.<br>James Sullivan, Defendant | Action: Vagrancy<br>Demand $:<br>Attorney for Plaintiff<br>Attorney for Defendant |

Herrington

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 28 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 28 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 28 | Defendant in court and to the court states "My true name is James Sullivan |
| " | 28 | Defendant in court and duly arraigned and being by the court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. |
| " | 28 | Defendants trial set for Feb. 4/95 at 10 AM. |

Floated.

24 ✓

No. 24

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Thomas Devan Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Dumas |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 29 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| Jan | 29 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 29 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Thomas Devan". |
| " | 29 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. On motion of defendant his trial is set for Feb 5/1895 at 10 Am. |
| | | Floated. |

No. 25

25

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

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|---|---|
| The People of the State of California. Plaintiff<br>vs.<br>R. J. Agajaard Defendant | Action Insanity<br>Demand $<br>Attorney for Plaintiff<br>Attorney for Defendant |

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. G. A. Pilegaard — |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 29 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | " | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 29 | Defendant taken before Superior Court |

26 ✓

No. 26.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

John Molitor, Joe Harris
George Harris & Fred Smith
Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. S.S. Crutcher |
|---|---|---|
| Jan | 31 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 31 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 31 | The defendants is Court and to the Court state "My true name is John Molitor", "My true name is Joe Harris" "My true name is George Harris" and "my true name is Fred Smith". |
| " | 31 | The defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the Charges against them and of all their legal rights in the premises, they thereupon waive time in which to plead and plead guilty. Time being waived for judgement the Court renders judgement as follows viz: Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of vagrancy committed at Fresno County on the 30th day of Jan. 1895. as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the said defendant John Molitor, you the said defendant, George Harris, and you the said defendant Fred Smith be imprisoned in the County Jail of the County of Fresno for the term of 60 days. Joe Harris given until 2 P.M. Jan 31. to appear for sentence. S.C.S. John Justice of the peace — |

Arrest Dennas
John Molitor, Geo Harris & Fred Smith Com. 60ds.
Joe Harris Floated.

No. 27

27

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

**The People of the State of California** Plaintiff

vs.

Edward Moss, Richard Moss and John Peterson Defendant

Action

Vagrancy.

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dumas. |
|---|---|---|
| Feb. | 2 | **Complaint filed and Warrant issued.** |
| " | " | **Warrant served, returned and filed.** |
| " | " | The defendants in Court and to the Court state "My true name is Edward Moss", "My true name is Richard Moss," and "My true name is John Peterson". |
| " | 2 | The defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises, they thereupon waive time in which to plead and Edward Moss & Richard Moss plead not guilty. John Moss pleads guilty. Defendants Edward Moss & Richard Moss' bail fixed at $100. Not given. On motion of said defendants Moss' trial of their cause fixed at Feb. 4/95. 10 A. M. Defendant John Peterson waives time for judgement and the Court renders judgement as follows viz: Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of vagrancy committed in Fresno County on the 2nd day of Feby- 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the said defendant John Peterson be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 30 days. |
| Feb. | 4 | Defendants Edward Moss & Richard Moss in Court and the time of trial continued to Feb. 6th 1895 at 10 A. M. and allowed to go on their own recognizance. |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Arrest J. W. Dumas
John Peterson 30 days. Cond-
E. Moss & R. Moss Floated.

28 ✓

No. 28

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Tommy Ango, Mira Suzuki and Hannah Ikeda
Defendant

Action
Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

G. C. Freeman & W. D. Crichton
Attorney for Plaintiff

G. L. Hood
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Chong Lum Sang- |
|---|---|---|
| Feb | 2 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 2 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 2 | Subpoena issued on part of people |
| " | 2 | Subpoena " " " " Deft. |
| " | 5 | Subpoena " " " " people- |
| " | " | All above Subpoenas returned & filed |
| " | 5 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state "My true name is Tommy Ango, "My true name is Mira Suzuki, & "My true name is Hannah Ikeda The defendants in Court and duly arraigned & being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead not guilty. On motion defendant trial is set for Feb. 5/95 at 2 P. M. |
| Feb | 5 | At time set all parties in Court and trial proceeds- Lui Quong is sworn as interpreter of Chinese Chong Lum Sang, Ah How sworn and testifies in behalf of the People- K. Wago is sworn to act as interpreter of Japanese- Hannah Ikeda, C. C. Coble, A. I. Murrill, J. M. Cobble, J. C. Coble and - Bradford are sworn and testify in behalf of defendants- The matter is submitted and the court finds the defendants not guilty and orders the defendants discharged- S. C. Sr. John Justice of the Peace |

Arrest by Albin
Discharged-

No. 29

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California Plaintiff

vs.

Chang Cenn Sang Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

1895 DATE. PROCEEDINGS. Nina Suzuki

Feb 2 Complaint filed and Warrant issued.
Feb 2 Warrant served, returned and filed.
" 2 Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Chang Cenn Sang
" 2 The defendant in Court and duly arraigned & being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises the Court on motion of defendant fixed Feb. 4th 1895 at 10 A. M. as the time at which he should plead- Court permitted defendant to go on his own recognizance-
Feb. 4 Defendant in Court at time set and pleads guilty- Time being waived for judgement the Court renders judgement as follows viz:

Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of disturbing the peace committed in Fresno County on Feb. 2" 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant Chang Cenn Sang do pay a fine of $7.50

S. St. John
Justice of the Peace.

Arrest by Albin
Fined $7.50 Pd. Pd. to County Treasurer

30

No. 30.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

E. M. Burris Defendant

Action Perjury

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Meux & Johnston

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Dan County. |
|---|---|---|
| Feb. | 2 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| Feb | 2 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 6 | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is E. M. Burris. |
| " | 6 | The defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the court informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. |
| " | 6 | Defendants bail fixed at $250.00 and given with J. P. Meux and W. J. Dickey as sureties |
| Mch. | 4 | On motion of counsel for deft. Ex set for Mch. 9/95. 2 P.M. |
| Mch | 9 | By agreement of counsel Ex. set for Mch. 16th at 2 P.M. |
| " | 9 | Subpoena issued in behalf of prosecution |
| " | 16 | At the time set defendant in Court with his counsel announs himself ready and the examination proceeds. J. G. Hart, O. Scribner and D. J. Canty are sworn and testify in behalf of the people Court adjourns to Mch 18/95 at 8:30 with defendants consent. |
| Mch | 18 | At the time set defendant and his counsel in Court and the examination proceeds. J. P. Meux is sworn and testifies in behalf of defendant. The matter is submitted and by the Court taken under advisement. |
| Mch. | 19 | The Court this day finds as follows. It appearing to the Court from the testimony that no public offense has been committed it is ordered that this case be dismissed the defendant discharged and his his bail exonerated S. C. St John Justice of the Peace |

Dismissed

No. 31

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California Plaintiff

vs.

Ho Duck Defendant

Action Selling Lottery Tickets

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Albin |
|---|---|---|
| Feb | 2 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| Feb | 2 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 2 | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "my true name Ho Duck. |
| " | 2 | The defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he asks and is given until until Feb. 4th 1895 at 10 A. M. as the time to plead |
| Feb. | 2 | Defendants bail fixed at $50.00 Cash which is given |
| " | 4 | At the time set defendant is Court and pleads guilty and waives time for judgement and the Court renders judgment as follows viz: |

Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offence of Selling Lottery Tickets committed in Fresno County on the 2" day of Feb. 1895 as charged in the Complaint aforesaid that you the defendant Ho Duck do pay a fine of $10.00

S. St. John

Justice of the Peace

Arrest Albin

Fined $10.00 paid. Pd. to County Treasurer

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No. 32.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

S Sanderson Defendant

Action Obtaining Money by False Pretenses

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. C. L. Evarts |
|---|---|---|
| Feb. | 2 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| Feb | 5 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 5 | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "my true name is S. Sanderson." |
| " | 5 | The defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. The defendant being well known to the Court his is permitted to go on his own ~~rec~~ recognizance - |
| " | 5 | The defendant in Court and pays Court Costs $3.00 and Constables Costs $12.30 and on motion of prosecuting witness the above cause is dismissed and the defendant discharged |

D C St John
Justice of the Peace

Court Costs 3.00 } Paid
Court Costs 12.30 }
Defendant Discharged — Pd. to County Treasurer

No. 33

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff
vs.
James Harrison. 60 ds
John Carr 30 ds & James Smith
Defendant

Action Vagrancy
Demand $
Attorney for Plaintiff
Attorney for Defendant

trial 2/11-95-9 AM

DATE. PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Crutcher

Feb. 6 Complaint filed and Warrant issued.

" 6. Warrant served, returned and filed.

" 6 The defendants in Court and to the state respectively "My name is James Harrison", "John Carr" & "My true name is James Smith."

" 6 The defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises, defendants James Harrison and John Carr waive time and plead guilty. Time being waived for judgment the Court renders judgement as follows viz:
Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of vagrancy committed in Fresno County on the 6th day of Feby 1895. as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you said defendant James Harrison be imprisoned in in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 60 days and that you defendant John Carr be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 30 days.

" 6 Defendant James Smith in Court, waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $100.00 not given.

" 6 Defendant James Smith's trial set for Feb. 11th 1895 at 9 A. M.

" 11 At the time set defendant in Court and the trial proceeds.
Tim Walton, W. C. Marshal, T. H. Burgess, O. V. Blom, D. J. Canty, E. Mayer C. L. Kennison, G. L. Traber, C. Aadebert, A. M. Hayes, W. B. Peck & W. H. Robinson are sworn as jurors to try the cause. S. S. Crutcher is sworn and testifies for the people, Jas. Smith is sworn & testifies for the defense. The matter is submitted. The jury retires in charge of a sworn officer and afterward return and bring in a verdict of not guilty. Whereupon the Court orders defendant discharged—

Jas. Harrison 60 ds.
John Carr 30 "
Jas. Smith dischgd—

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

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No. 974

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Harry McCune & E. G. Collier Defendant

Action Vagrancy.

Demand $

Trial 2/11 Floatia

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. S. L. Crutcher |
|---|---|---|
| Feb. | 6 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 6 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 6 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Harry McCune" "My true name is E. G. Collier." |
| " | 6 | The defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the matter they thereupon waive time and plead not guilty— |
| | " | Defendants trial fixed at Feby 11/95 at 2 O. M. |
| | " | Defendants bail fixed at $100. each not given |
| " | 11 | The above action is this day dismissed and the defendants discharged there being no sufficient evidence to convict— |

S. L. Crutcher
Justice of the Peace.

No. 35

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Joseph Silva — Defendant

Action Petty Larceny.

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. E. M. Augustine |
|---|---|---|
| Feb. | 6 | **Complaint filed and Warrant issued.** |
| " | 6. | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 6 | The defendant in Court and to the Court states "my true name is Joseph Silva. |
| " | 6. | The defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty. On motion of defendant the Court fixed Feb. 7 1895 at 9 o'clock A. M. as the time for judgement to be rendered — Defendants bail fixed at $50.00 Cash which is given. |
| Feb | 7 | At time set defendant in Court and the Court renders judgement as follows. viz: Wherefore it is by this court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of petty larceny committed in Fresno County on the 6th. day of Feby. 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant Joseph Silva do pay a fine of $5.60 |

E. M. Augustine
Justice of the Peace.

Arrest Antone George
Fined $5.60 Paid. Pd. to County Treasurer

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No. 36.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California, Plaintiff

vs.

Nany White Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. S. L. Carter |
|---|---|---|
| Feb | 6 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 7. | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 7. | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Nany White". |
| " | 7 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all her legal rights ~~and~~ in the premises, she thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. |
| " | 7 | Defendants trial continued indefinitely and allowed to go on her own recognizance. |

No. 37.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe Richard Roe
True name Antonio Bazan & Francisco Luna
Defendant

Action
Burglary-

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff
W. D. Critchlow

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. John Arnett |
|---|---|---|
| Feb | 8 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| Feb | 12 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 12 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Antonio Bazan and "My true name is Francisco Luna- |
| " | 12 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises. Defendants' bail fail fixed at $500. each not given |
| " | 12 | Defendants examination set for Feby. 26th 95 at 10 A. M. |
| " | 14 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the people- |
| " | 26 | Subpoena for people returned and filed |
| Feb. | 26 | At the time set defendant and his counsel in Court all parties announce themselves ready and the examination procedes. Miss Lou Beardon is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of the examination. John Arnett, Frank Arnett and J. G. Davis and Mrs. Mary Abbott are sworn and testify in behalf of the people. The People rest. Defendant offers no testimony and the matter is submitted. It appearing to the Court from the testimony that the offense of Burglary has been committed as charged in the complaint, and there being sufficient cause to believe the defendants guilty thereof it is ordered that you the defendant Antonio Bazan and you the defendant Francisco Luna be held to appear before the Superior Court of Fresno County and answer to the charge of Burglary - with bail fixed at $1000. each<br>S. C. St. John<br>Justice of the Peace |

Held to answer

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No. 98

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

| | |
|---|---|
| The People of the State of California, Plaintiff<br>vs.<br>C. H. A. Davis Defendant | Action Kidnaping<br>Demand $ /<br>Attorney for Plaintiff<br>Attorney for Defendant |

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Carlile |
|---|---|
| Feb. 8 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued.<br>Warrant served, returned and filed. |

No. 39.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California

Plaintiff

vs.

Lam Lee

Defendant

Action Letting a building for Lottery Purposes

Demand $

A. E. Snow

Attorney for Plaintiff

Van Meter & Walsen

Attorney for Defendant

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| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Crutcher |
|---|---|---|
| Feby | 11 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 11 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 13 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "my true name is Lam Lee." |
| " | 13 | The defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises, he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. |
| " | 13 | Attorneys for defendant files written demurrer to complaint. |
| " | 13 | Demurrer set for hearing this day— |
| " | 13 | Demurrer argued and submitted and overruled and Attorneys for defendant takes exception— |
| " | " | Defendants trial set for Feby 25th 1895 at 2 P. M. |
| " | " | Defendants bail fixed at $200. and given with Wong Kee and Sing Chung Lung as sureties. |
| " | 25 | By consent of Counsel trial continued to Feby. 27/95. 10 A. M. |
| " | 27 | Venire for 30 jurors issued— |
| " | 27 | Venire returned and filed |
| " | 27 | at the time set all parties are present in court and the trial proceeds H. Russell, N. A. Bostwick, J. T. Campbell, J. C. Bowen, Thom Hunt G. A. Anderson, S. F. Cowen, J. B. Rader, J. H. Reese, T. A. Hoover, T. R. Foster and M. Goth are selected and sworn as jurors to try the cause. S. S. Crutcher, Gus Anderson, J. N. Albin, J. W. Dumas, T. J. Hughes & W. C. Brewster are sworn and testify in behalf of the people |
| | | Counsel for the people rests. Counsel for defendant rests. The matter is argued and submitted. Officer Rapelje is sworn to take charge of the jury who retire and after deliberating 45 minutes stated to the Court through their foreman that they were unable to agree. The court propounded the usual questions to several of the jurors and all stated that it would be impossible for them to agree— It appearing to the Court that there is no probability that the jury can agree the jury is discharged— |
| Mch. | 28 | Trial of defendant is reset for Mch. 7th 1895 at 10 A. M. |
| " | 28 | Defendant and his counsel in Court and on motion of Dep. Dist. Atty Williams this cause is dismissed and defendant is discharged on the ground of insufficiency of evidence to convict & Bond exonerated |

S. C. St. John

Justice of the Peace

Dismissed

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No. .....

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

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|---|---|
| The People of the State of California. Plaintiff vs. Ah Jim, Wong Kim, Hong Jim, Lee Wah & Lee How Defendant | Action Aiding & Lottery<br>Demand $ .....<br>A. E. Snow Attorney for Plaintiff<br>Van Meter & Walser Attorney for Defendant |

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Crudden |
|---|---|---|
| Feb | 11 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 11 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 13 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state "My name is Ah Jim", "My name is Wong Kim" "My name is Hong Jim" "My name is Lee Wah" "My name is Lee How." |
| " | 13 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned are by the Court informed of the nature of the charges against them and of all their legal rights in the premises. They thereupon waive time and plead not guilty. |
| " | 13 | Attys. for defendants file written demurrers to the complaints |
| " | 13 | Demurrers set for hearing this day. |
| " | 13 | Demurrers argued and submitted and are by the Court overruled, Attys for defendants takes exception. |
| " | 13 | Defendant Lee How's trial set for Feby 27/95 at 10 A. M. |
| " | 13 | Defendants Hong Jim's trial set for Feby 28/95 at 10 A. M. |
| " | 13 | Defendants Bail fixed at $50.00 each & given with Wong Kee and Sing Chung Lung as sureties. |
| " | 28 | Trial of defendants set for Mch 4th 1895 at 10 A.M. |
| Mch | 4 | Trial of defendants continued to Mch. 7th. 1895 at 2 P. M. |
| Mch | 7 | On Motion of Dept. Dist. Atty Williams this cause is dismissed, the defendants discharged and the Bond exonerated |

S. S. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Cause Dismissed on motion
of Dept. Dist Atty Williams

No. 41

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California, Plaintiff

vs.

Lum Goo, Ah Sam, Gee Wing, Ah Gee & Chung Kong, Defendant

Action Aiding a Lottery.

Demand $

A. E. Drew
Attorney for Plaintiff

Van Meter & Walser
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Conclusion |
|---|---|---|
| Feb | 11 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 11 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 13 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state "My true name is Lum Goo," "My true name is Ah Sam" "My true name is Gee Wing" "My true name is Ah Gee" and "My true name is Chung Kong." |
| " | 13 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and are by the Court informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises. They thereupon waive time and plead not guilty. |
| " | 13 | Attys for defendants file written demurrers to the complaints. |
| " | 13 | Demurrers set for hearing this day. Demurrers argued and submitted and are by the Court overruled. Atty for defendants takes exception. |
| " | 13 | Defendants' bail fixed @ $50. each and given with Wong Kee and Sing Chung Sang as sureties |
| " | 13 | Trial of defendants set for March 13th 1895 at 10 A. M. |
| " | 6 | On motion of dept. Dist. Atty Williams this cause is ordered dismissed the defendants discharged and the Bond exonerated. |

S. S. Johns
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed.

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No. 42

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe & R. Roe Defendant

Action

Burglary

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Chas Hultmack |
|---|---|
| 1895 Feby. 12 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. Warrant served, returned and filed. |

No. 43.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe
True name Jas Williams
Defendant

Action
Vagrancy

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Williams |
|---|---|---|
| Feby | 12 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. Pleads not guilty Bail $100 Trial 2/25 - 2 P M. |
| " | 12 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 12 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is James Williams." |
| " | 12 | The defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. On motion of defendant his trial is set for Feb. 25/95 at 2 P.M. Defendants Bail fixed at $100.00 not given. |
| " | 16 | The above action is this dismissed for the reason that the facts as stated by the witnesses are wholly insufficient to warrant a trial — S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace. |

Dismissed

44 ✓

No. 44.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California.

Plaintiff

vs.

Steve Stevens

Defendant

Action Vagrancy.

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dumas |
|---|---|---|
| Feby. | 14 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 14 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 14 | Defent in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Steve Stevens. |
| " | 14 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises, he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty— Defendants bail fixed at $100. not given— |
| " | 20 | The Court after examining all the witness finds that there is not sufficient evidence against against the defendant to convict and the above cause is this day dismissed— S. C. St. John |

Arrest Dumas
Dismissed—

No. .....

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe & Richard Roe
Defendant

Action Search Warrant

Demand $ .....

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Clara Wittmack |
|---|---|
| Feby 14 | Affidavit ~~Complaint~~ filed and Warrant issued. |
| " 15 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |

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No. .....

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

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|---|---|
| The People of the State of California. Plaintiff vs. John Doe Richard Roe Defendant | Action Search Warrant<br>Demand $ .....<br>Attorney for Plaintiff<br>Attorney for Defendant |

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Chas Wittmack |
|---|---|---|
| Feby | 14 | Affidavit ~~Complaint~~ filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 15 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |

No. 47

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff

vs.

John Gray, Homer Fields and John Bernard
Defendant

Action

Vagrancy.

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

J. W. Dumas

| DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|---|
| Feby | 16 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | " | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is John "Gray". "My true name is Homer Fields" "My true name is John Bernard." |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead not guilty— Defendants trials set for March 5th 1895. and allowed to go on their own recognizance— |

Floated.

48 ✓

No. 48.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California.

Plaintiff

vs.

John Scranton &
Frank Morgan

Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

✓ Attorney for Plaintiff

30 ds

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J.W. Dumas |
|---|---|---|
| Feby | 16 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | " | |
| " | " | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is John Scranton & "My name is Frank Morgan". |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead guilty. Time being waived for judgement the Court renders judgment as follows to wit: Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged that as a punishment for the offense of Vagrancy committed in Fresno County on Feby 16th 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant John Scranton be confined in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 30 days - And that you the said defendant Frank Morgan be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 30 days. |

S C St John
Justice of the Peace

Arrest J. W. Dumas
John Scranton 30 ds
Frank Morgan 30 ds

No. 49.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Defendant

Action

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|
| | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| | Warrant served, returned and filed. |

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No. .....

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

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|---|---|
| The People of the State of California. ..... Plaintiff<br>vs.<br>..... Defendant | Action .....<br>.....<br>Demand $ .....<br>.....<br>Attorney for Plaintiff<br>.....<br>Attorney for Defendant |

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|
| | Complaint filed and Warrant issued.<br>Warrant served, returned and filed. |

No. 51

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Antonio Selback
Defendant

Action
Petty Larceny

Demand $.....

Williams
Attorney for Plaintiff

Henry Tupper
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. H. H. Johnson |
|---|---|---|
| Feby | 16 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 18 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 18 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Antonio Selback". |
| " | 18 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature & the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises, he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. |
| " | 18 | On motion of defendant trial is set for 2 o'clock this day. Bail is fixed at $100.00 and given with Paul Meyer and C. W. Hansen as sureties. |
| " | 18 | At the time set all parties in Court and the trial proceeds. |
| | 18 | H. H. Johnson and Mrs. Johnson are sworn and testify in behalf of the People— Paul Meyer John Inmis and Antonio Selback are sworn and testify in behalf of the defendant the matter is argued and submitted and the Court finds the defendant not guilty. The Court orders the defendant discharged and the bondsmen exonerated. |

S. C. S. Lohr
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed.

52

No. 52

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Sylvester T. Carlile Defendant

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. W. A. Hickok |
|---|---|
| 1895 July 17 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. Warrant served, returned and filed. |

No. 53

53

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Charles Riddle & G. Wilkison Defendant

Action Malicious Mischief

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. R. A. Hamilton |
|---|---|---|
| Feby | 17 | **Complaint filed and Warrant issued.** |
| " | 23 | **Warrant served, returned and filed** |
| " | 23 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My name is Chas. Riddle" "My name is G. Wilkison" |
| " | 23 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead not guilty— Defendants demand an immediate trial, waive a jury and the trial proceeds— R. A. Hamilton, J. B. Jay, V. W. Smith, W. A. Clark are sworn and testify in behalf of the People— Alex. Martin, Chas. Riddle & G. Wilkinson are sworn and testify in behalf of defendant. The matter is submitted and taken under advisement until Feby 25/95 at 10 A. M. |
| Feby | 25 | The Court this day finds defendants not guilty and they are discharged— S. D. St. John Justice of the Peace— |

Tried
Not guilty.

No. 54

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff
vs.
Walter Thompson and James Murray
Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Crutcher |
|---|---|---|
| Feby. | 20 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 20. | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 20 | The defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Walter Thompson" and "My true name is James Murray." |
| " | 20 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $100 each not given On motion of the defendants their trial is set for Mch. 4th 1895 at 10 AM. |
| Mch. | 4 | Defendants in Court and are permitted to go on their own recognizance — |

Floated.

No. 55

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe Defendant

Action Burglary

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Coutcher |
|---|---|
| Feby 20 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| | Void |

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No. 56

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff

vs.

Charley Lee & Ah Jim
Defendant

Action
Vagrancy

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Frank Elgan |
|---|---|---|
| Febry | 20 | **Complaint filed and Warrant issued.** |
| " | " | **Warrant served, returned and filed.** |
| " | 20 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Charley Lee" and "My true name is Ah Jim". |
| " | 20 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature & the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead not guilty. |
| | | On motion of defendants their trial is set for Mch 11th 1895 at 10 A.M. |
| | | Defendants bail fixed at $100. each not given. |
| Mch | 11 | At the time set defendants are in Court and on their motion they are permitted to withdraw their former plea of not guilty and enter a plea of guilty and waive time judgment and the Court renders judgment as follows. |
| | | Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of vagrancy committed in Fresno County on the 20th. day of Feb. 1895 that you the defendant Charley Lee and you the defendant Ah Jim be each imprisoned in the County Jail of the County of Fresno for the term of 20 days. |
| | | J. C. St John |
| | | Justice of the Peace |

Plead guilty
20 ds.

No. 57

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff
vs.
Nick McCarty John Reynolds.
John Alias Doe + Richard
Defendant

Action Burglary

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

1895 DATE. PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Crutcher

Feby 20. Complaint filed and Warrant issued.

" 21 Warrant served, returned and filed.

" 21 Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Nick McCarty" and "My true name is John Reynolds."

Feb 22 Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises.
On motion of defendants the examination is set for Mch. 2/95 at 10 A.M.
Defendants' bail fixed at $1000. Not given.

Mch. 2 At the time set defendants in Court and the district attorney states that upon examining the testimony in the case that he finds it insufficient to convict and on his motion this case is dismissed.

S C St John
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed.

58 ✓

No. 58

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Lillie McGee Defendant

Action Obtaining money by false pretenses a misdemeanor

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. E. B. Watkins |
|---|---|
| Feby 20 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| | Warrant served, returned and filed. |

No. .....

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Nick To

Defendant

Action .....

Demand $ .....

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|
| | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| | Warrant served, returned and filed. |

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No. 60.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Wong Lung Defendant

Action Robbery.

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Ah. Lim |
|---|---|
| Feby 21 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " " | |
| " 21 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Wong Lung" |
| " 21 | Defendant is in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all of his legal rights in the premises On motion of defendant the examination is set for Mch 11 th. 1895 at 2 P. M. Defendants bail fixed at $1000.00 |
| Feb. 22 | Defendant files bail bond in the sum of $1000. with Quong Yen Sing and Quong Hung Wo as sureties. whereupon defendant is ordered discharged from custody. |
| Mch. 11 | At the time set defendant is in Court with his counsel, announces himself ready and the examination proceeds. Miss Lou Beardon is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of the examination and Lui Leung is sworn as interpreter of the Chinese language Ah Leong, Hung Sic, John Albin and Guy Mun are sworn and testify in behalf of the people and J. E. Ragsdale, Ha Mow, Sing Chung Lung and Ah Kit are sworn and testify in behalf of defendant. The matter is submitted and by the Court taken under advisement. |
| Mch. 13 | The Court this day finds as follows. There being no sufficient reason to believe the defendant guilty of the offense charged in in the complaint it is ordered that the case be dismissed, the defendant discharged and his bail exonerated. J. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |

No. 61

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Quong Chung. Defendant

Action Permitting the game of Fan to be played in a house ruled by defendant.

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

A. A. Wells

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Albin |
|---|---|---|
| Feby. | 23 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | " | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | " | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is "Quong Chung." |
| " | 23 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $200 with Jeff Steammon Kit and Quong Tai Lung as sureties |
| Apr. | 6 | Defendants trial set for Apr. 13th 1895 at 10 A. M. |
| " | 13 | On motion of the district attorney this case is ordered dismissed the defendant discharged and his bail exonerated— |

S C St John

Justice of the Peace

62 ✓

No. 62.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe,
Ah Sing, Ah Toy, Ah Ling, Ah Lit,
Ah Ping, Ah Doo, Ah Sam, Ah Lin,
Defendant

Action Playing the game of
Fan a misdemeanor

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J.H., Clerk |
|---|---|---|
| Feby | 23 | **Complaint filed and Warrant issued.** |
| " | " | **Warrant served, returned and filed.** |
| " | " | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Ah Sing" "My true name is Ah Toy" "My true name is Ah Ling" "My true name is Ah Lit" "My true name is Ah Ping" "My true name is Ah Doo" "My true name is Ah Sam" & "My true name is Ah Lin" |
| " | 23 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises and they thereupon waive time and plead not guilty — Defendants bail fixed at $50.00 each with Jeff Shannon Kirk and Leong Tai Lung as sureties |
| April | 13 | Defendant Ah Sing's trial set for April 16th 1895 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 16 | By consent Defendant trial is continued without date. |

No. 63.

63

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

C. C. Frye Defendant

Action Insanity

Demand $

B

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Cruicher |
|---|---|
| Feby 24 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. Warrant served, returned and filed. and defendant taken before the Superior Court |

64 ✓

No. 64.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

John Mc Sweegan Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. S.C. Jenes |
|---|---|
| Feby. 25 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " " | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " 25 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is "John Mc Sweegan". |
| " 25 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads to guilty. Defendant waives time for judgment and the Court renders judgment as follows Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of Disturbing the Peace committed in the County of Fresno on the 24 th day of Feby 1895 that you the defendant John Mc Sweegan pay a fine of $20.00 and in case said fine be not paid on or before the 15th day of March 1895 that you the said defendant John Mc Sweegan be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno, until the fine be duly satisfied in proportion of one day's imprisonment for every dollar of the fine, or until lawful payment shall have been made of such portion of said fine as shall not have been satisfied by imprisonment at the rate above prescribed |
| | Scott. John |
| | Justice of the Peace |
| | Plead guilty |
| | $20.00 or 20 ds. given until March 15/95 to pay- |
| March 15 | Not paid |

No. 65.

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# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California.

Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe, Richard Roe

Pancho Garcia & Antonio Garcia

Defendant

Action Grand Larceny.

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. H. L. Ralpelje |
|---|---|---|
| Feby. | 28 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. Warrant served, ~~returned and filed~~ and defendants taken to Hollister by the officer. |

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No. 66

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of [illegible] State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Pete Neumeyer
Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. G. Seifert |
|---|---|
| March 1 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| | Warrant served, returned and filed. |

No. 67

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

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|---|---|
| The People of the State of California, Plaintiff<br>vs.<br>J. P. Swanson, Defendant | Action: Battery<br>Demand $:<br>Attorney for Plaintiff<br>Attorney for Defendant |

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. G. L. Matney |
|---|---|---|
| Mch | 1 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 2 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 2 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises and defendant waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants trial set for Mch 12/95 at 3 P.M. Defendant permitted to go on his own recognizance |
| Mch. | 12 | at the time set defendant failed to appear and the trial is continued without date. |

Cannot be found

68 ✓

No. 68.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

E. Huffman Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. G. L. Mahony |
|---|---|---|
| Mch. | 1 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 2 | Warrant served, returned and filed |
| " | 2 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is E. Huffman. |
| " | 2 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty and asks the Court to defer the rendering of judgment until Mch 10th 1895 - which is granted - |
| | | Skipped the country. |

No. 69.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Mick Mc Carty
and John Reynolds
Defendant

Action
Vagrancy.
Demand $
3
Attorney for Plaintiff
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. T. Clayton |
|---|---|---|
| Mch | 1 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 1 | Warrant served, returned and filed |
| " | 2 | Defendants in court and to the court states respectively "My true name is Mick Mc Carty" and "My true name is John Reynolds". |
| " | 2 | Defendants in court and duly arraigned and being by the court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive further time and plead not guilty On motion of defendants trial is set for Mch 20/10-1895 at 9 Defendants bail fixed at $100 each, not given. |
| Mch | 20. | Defendants in court at the time set and their trial postponed to Mch. 30th and defendants permitted to go on their own recognizance- |

Floated.

70 ✓

No. 70

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

J. P. Swansen
Defendant

Action
Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

3

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. Elgan |
|---|---|---|
| Mch | 2 | **Complaint filed and Warrant issued.** |
| " | 4 | **Warrant served, returned and filed.** |
| " | 4 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is J. P. Swansen". |
| " | 4 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants trial set for Mch 15th. 1895 at 10 A.M. Defendant is permitted to go on his own recognizance |
| | | Cannot be found |

No. 71

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Charles G. Ahrens — Defendant

Action Burglary

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Chas. Wittnack |
|---|---|---|
| Mch 4 | | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| | | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | " | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Charles G. Ahrens." |
| " | " | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. |
| " | " | The complainant appears and states to the Court that a mistake had been made and that this defendant was not the party wanted and upon his statement this case is ordered dismissed and the defendant discharged |

S C St John
Justice of the Peace

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No. 72

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

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|---|---|
| The People of the State of California. Plaintiff vs. Thomas Burns alias John Doe Richard Roe Defendant | Action Petty Larceny<br>Demand $<br>3<br>Attorney for Plaintiff<br>Attorney for Defendant |

60 ds.

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dumas |
|---|---|---|
| Mch | 3 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 4 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 4 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Thomas Burns." |
| " | 4 | Defendant is in Court and duly arraigned and and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives further time and pleads guilty. Defendant also waives time for judgment and the Court renders judgment as follows Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of petit Larceny committed in Fresno County on the 3rd day of Mch 1895 as charged in the said complaint aforesaid that you the defendant Thomas Burns be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 60 days. |

S. C. St John
Justice of the Peace

Plead Guilty
60 ds. Com.

No. 73

73

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California Plaintiff

vs.

H. Schell Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

3

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. L. Chadwick |
|---|---|---|
| March | 5 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 5 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 5 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is H. Schell. |
| " | 5 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $100 which is given. |
| March | 20 | On motion of complainant this case is ordered dismissed, the defendant discharged and his bail exonerated |

H. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed

74

No.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California Plaintiff

vs.

J. T. Gelbert Defendant

Action Search Warrant

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Crutcher |
|---|---|---|
| March | 3 | Affidavit Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 3 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |

No. 75

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

John Sattell
Defendant

Action Vagrancy.

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

30 ds.

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Crutcher |
|---|---|---|
| Mch | 8 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 8 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 8. | Defendant is in Court and to the Court states "My true name is John Sattell". |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty. Defendant waives time for judgment and the Court renders judgment as follows. Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of of vagrancy committed in Fresno County on the 7th day of Mch 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant John Sattell be confined in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 30 days. |

S C S John
Justice of the Peace

Plead Guilty
30 ds. Com.

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No. 76

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Mick Murphy
Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dennis |
|---|---|---|
| Mch 8 | | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 8 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| | | Fined |

No. 77

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno, State of California

The People of the State of California, Plaintiff

vs.

Wong Gow alias John Doe, Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

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| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Romaca Martin |
|---|---|---|
| March | 9 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 9 | Warrant served, returned and filed |
| " | 9 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Wong Gow." |
| " | 9 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendant being regularly employed at the Hughes Hotel and being well recommended is permitted to go on his own recognizance On motion of defendant trial is set for Mch 13/95 at 2 PM. |
| Mch. | 13 | At the time set defendant in Court waives a jury announces himself ready and the trial proceeds. R. Martin & G. P. Gunter are sworn and testify in behalf of the people and Wong Gow, Lee Mow and Lee Mee are sworn and testify in behalf of the defendant. The matter is submitted and the Court finds the defendant not guilty and he is ordered discharged — |

S C St John
Justice of the Peace

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No. 78

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

C. E. Crouklite
Defendant

Action
Threatening Offense

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Mrs. Lizzie Crouklite |
|---|---|---|
| March | 9 | Information |
| | 9 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 9 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 9 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is C. E. Crouklite." |
| " | 9 | Defendant in Court and the Court reads to him the information and the Court duly informs him of the nature of the offense charged and of all his legal rights in the premises and the defendant controverts the charge |
| | | Defendant is permitted to go on his own recognizance. |
| " | 18 | Examination set for May 10th 1895 at 2 P. M. |
| May | 10 | at the time set defendant and his counsel in Court all parties announce themselves ready and the examination proceeds. |
| | | Elizabeth Crouklite is sworn and testifies in behalf of the people and C. E. Crouklite is sworn and testifies in his own behalf. |
| | | The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that no just reason exists to fear the commission of the offense alleged to have been threatened it is ordered that the case be dismissed and the defendant discharged |
| | | B. C. St. John |
| | | Justice of the Peace |

Examined
Dismissed.

No. 79

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Mouda Jones — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

3

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Maggie Winters |
|---|---|---|
| Mch | 9 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 12 | Warrant served, returned and filed |
| " | 12 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Mouda Jones. |
| " | 12 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises whereupon he pleads guilty and waiving time for judgment the Court renders judgment as follows. It is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the crime of battery as charged in the complaint that you the defendant pay a fine of $5.60 and in default thereof that you be confined in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 5 days. S.C.St. John |
| | | Fined $5.60 or 5 days in Jail. Paid. Pd. to County Treasurer |

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No. 80

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff
vs.
Charles Brown
Defendant

Action
Assault to commit Murder

Demand $
Witnesses
Jack Long
Barney McMahon
Attorney for Plaintiff
S. J. Hinds
Attorney for Defendant

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1895 DATE. PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Crutcher

March 9 Complaint filed and Warrant issued.

" 26 Warrant served, returned and filed.

" 26 Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Charles Brown"

" 26 Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises and asks that the time for his examination be not set at this time—

" 26. On recommendation of Dist. Atty Snow defendants bail fixed at $2000. personal security or $1000. Cash Defendant deposits with the Court $1000. Cash as bail for his appearance and the court orders that defendandant be discharged ~~from custody~~ from custody of the Sheriff—

May 13 On motion of Dist. Atty Examination set for May 16th at 10 a.m.

May 15 Subpoena on part of the people issued

" 15 Subpoena on part of the people issued

16 Both above subpoena's returned & filed

16 At the time set defendant with his counsel and announced that defendant was ready to proceed with the examination. J. W. Gearhart is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination. August Schroder, Louis Scholler, John P. Long, H. S. Stutzman, A Riley S. S. Crutcher, Dr. J. D. Davidson, & Wm Massey are sworn and testify in behalf of the people. The people rest. Defendant rests the matter is submitted and by the Court taken under advisement until 1:30 this day. At the time set defant and his counsel in Court and the finds as follows. It appearing to the Court that the offense charged in the complaint in this case has been committed and that there is sufficient reason to bleive the defendant Chas Brown guilty thereof, it is the order of this Court that you the defendant Charles Brown be held to appear before the Superior Court of Fresno County and answer to the charge of Assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit murder will bail fixed as follows. An undertaking in the sum of $2000. with sureties satisfactory to the Court or a deposit $1000.—

Sec'y John
Justice of the Peace

The defendant states that this Court having $1000. now on deposit for his appearance at the examination that the same be now held as cash bail for the appearance of defendant in the superior Court or until he furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $2000.

Papers delivered to Dist. Atty—

Apr. 25/96 Pd. to Defts Atty S. J. Hinds as per order from Dist Atty $100.
July 6/96 Pd. to County Clerk Hart 800.
" 6/96 " " Deft. Chas. Brown 100
$1000.

No. 81

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# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff

vs.

John Kelley, John Smith and Wm O'Neil
Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dumas |
|---|---|---|
| March | 11 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | " | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | " | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is John Kelley" "My true name is John Smith" and "My true name is Wm O'Neil". |
| " | " | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and state to the Court that they are working men regularly employed and were "drunk". The defendants having been in jail for two nights the court dismisses the case and the defendants are ordered discharged. |

S. C. S. John
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed

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No. 821

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

John Leonard Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J W Dumas |
|---|---|---|
| March | 11 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | " | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 11 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is "John Leonard". |
| " | 11 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises waives time and pleads not guilty. |
| | | Defendants trial set for Mch 25/1895 and the defendant is permitted to go on his own recognizance |

Floated

No. 83.

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# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

John McAllister
Defendant

Action Burglary.

Demand $

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A. E. Snow
Attorney for Plaintiff

F. Laining
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. John Atkinson |
|---|---|---|
| Mch. | 13 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | " | Warrant served, returned and filed |
| " | 13 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is John McAllister." |
| " | 13 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. |
| " | 13 | Defendants bail fixed at $1500.00 Not given. |
| " | 13 | Defendants examination set for hearing Mch. 23/95 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 23 | At the time set defendant in Court with his counsel and A. E. Snow represents the People and the |
| " | 23 | examination proceeds. Miss Lou Bearden is appointed short hand reproporter for the purposes of the examination |
| " | | John Atkinson is sworn and testifies in behalf of the people. The People rest. Defendant offer no testimony. The matter is submitted and the Court finds. It appearing to the Court that the crime of Burglary as charged in the complaint herein has been committed and that there is sufficient cause to believe the defendant John McAllister guilty thereof I order that he be held to answer to the charge of Burglary before the Superior Court of Fresno County with bail fixed at $1500.00 |

S. C. Sr. John
Justice of the Peace

Held to answer.

Papers delivered to Dist. Atty

No. 84.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff
vs.
Mrs. Annie Holkey alias Jane Doe and
Mrs. Carrie Libbee alias Susan Roe
Defendant
true Names Mrs. A.B. Allen & Mrs. Carrie Gerrich

Action
Petty Larceny

Demand $

G. W. Jones
Attorney for Plaintiff
Van Meter & Walser
Attorney for Defendant

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| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. A. J. Weiner |
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| Mch. | 11 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 13 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 13 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Mrs. Annie Holkey" "My true name is Mrs. Carrie Libbee". |
| " | 13 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises, they thereupon asked for time in which to plead which is granted. |
| " | 13 | Defendants' bail fixed at $250.00 each not given. |
| " | 16 | Defendants appear in Court with their counsel and state that the names given by defendants as their true names on Mch 13th 1895 are not their true names and ask that their true names be now entered as follows to wit: Mrs. A.B. Allen & Mrs. Carrie Gerrich and that all proceedings be had in said names- |
| " | 16 | Counsel for defendants file written demurrer to complaint |
| " | 16 | Demurrer to complaint is by the Court overruled. (deft. excepts) |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and plead not guilty. |
| " | 16 | Defendants' bail fixed at $250. each not given |
| " | 16 | Defendants demand an immediate trial and the Court fixes Mch. 18th 1895 at 9:30 A.M. as the time when day of trial will be announced |
| " | 18 | Defendants in Court and trial is set for Mch. 23rd 1895 at 1:30 P.M. |
| " | 23 | G. W. Jones of counsel for the People and E.S. Van Meter of counsel for defendants in court and on motion of Atty Van Meter & consent of Atty Jones trial is continued to Mch. 25th 1895. at 10 A.M. |
| " | 25 | On Motion of Atty for defets. Van Meter trial Continued to Mch. 27/95 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 26 | Defendants file Affidavit for change of venue. |
| " | 26 | On motion of defendant the trial of this case is ordered transferred to the Court of H. J. Austin, Justice of the Peace of the 3rd Township Fresno County |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

No. 85

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# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Mrs. Annie Holkey alias Jane Doe
Mrs. Carrie Libbee alias Susan Roe
Defendant

true names Mrs A B Allen + Mrs Carrie Gurich

Action Search Warrant

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|---|
| Mch. | 13 | Affidavit for Search Warrant filed S. S. Crutcher ~~Complaint~~ filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | " | Warrant served, returned and filed. |

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No. 86

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Mrs. Annie Holkey alias Jane Doe
and
Mrs Carrie Libbee alias Susan Roe
Defendant

true names Mrs A B Allen & Mrs Carrie Gunich

Action
Petty Larceny.

Demand $

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Dist Atty
Attorney for Plaintiff

Van Meter & Walser
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Mae Jonsen |
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| Mch. | 13 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 13 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 13 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Mrs. Annie Holkey" "My true name is Mrs Carrie Libbee." |
| " | 13 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature & the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises, they thereupon asked for and were granted time in which to plead. |
| " | 13 | Defendants' bail fixed at $250.00 each not given. |
| " | 16 | Defendants appear in Court with their Counsel and state to the Court that the names given by defendants to the Court on Mch. 13th 1895 as their true names are not their true names, and ask that their true names be now intered as follows to wit; Mrs. A.B. Allen and Mrs. Carrie Gunich and that all proceedings be had in said names- |
| " | 16 | Counsel for defendants file written demurrer to complaint |
| " | 16 | Demurrer to the complaint is by the Court overruled (defendant excepts) |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and plead not guilty |
| " | 16 | Defendants' bail fixed at $200, each not given |
| " | 16 | Defendants demand an immediate trial and the Court fixes Mch. 18th 1895 as the time when day of trial will be announced |
| " | 18 | Defendants in Court and trial is set for Mch 25th 1895 at 10 A. M. |
| " | 25 | On motion of Counsel for defts. Van Meter this trial is contd. to Mch 27/95 - 10 A.M. |
| " | 26 | Defendants file affidavit for change of venue |
| " | 26 | It is ordered that the trial of this cause be transferred to the Court of R. G. Austin, Justice of the Peace of the 3rd Township, Fresno County. |

S. C. St John
Justice of the Peace

No. 87

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Mrs. Annie Holkie and
Mrs. Carrie Libbee
Defendant

true names Mrs A B Allen & Mrs Carrie Gunich

Action
Petty Larceny

Demand $

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Dist Atty
Attorney for Plaintiff

Van Meter and Walker
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. W. F. McCoy— |
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| Mch. | 14 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 16 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Mrs. A. B. Allen" & "My true name is Mrs. Carrie Gunich". |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the Charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises. |
| " | 16 | Counsel for defendants files written demurrer to Complaint |
| " | 16 | Demurrer is overruled by the Court. (exception taken) |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court, waive further time and plead not guilty and bail is fixed at $200.00 each. Not given. Defendants demand immediate trial. The Court fixes Mch. 18th. 95 at 9 A.M. as the time at which day of trial will be set. |
| " | 18 | Defendants in Court and trial is set for Mch. 27th 1895 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 26 | Defendants file affidavit for change of venue— |
| " | 26 | It is ordered that the trial of this case be transferred to the Court of H. J. Austin, Justice of the Peace of the 3rd Township, Fresno County. |

E. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

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No. 88

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California, Plaintiff

vs.

Mrs. Annie Stokey and Mrs. Carrie Libbee, Defendants

true names Mrs A B Allen & Mrs Carrie Gurich

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff
Van Meter & Walser

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. D. H. Williams |
|---|---|---|
| Mch. | 14 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 16 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is "Mrs. A B. Allen" & "My name is "Mrs. Carrie Gurich". |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises. |
| " | 16 | Counsel for defendants file written demurrer to complaint. |
| " | 16 | Demurrer to complaint is by the Court overruled (exception taken) |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court, waive further time and plead not guilty |
| " | 16 | Defendants' bail fixed at $ 250.00 each. Not given. |
| " | 16 | Defendants demand an immediate trial and the Court fixes Mch 18th 1895 at 9 A. M. as the time at which the day of trial will be announced — |
| " | 18 | Defendants in Court and trial is set for Mch. 29th 1895 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 26 | Defendants file affidavit for change of venue |
| " | 26 | It is ordered that the trial of this cause be transferred to the Court of H. J. Austin, Justice of the Peace of the 3rd Township Fresno County |

S. C. Johns
Justice of the Peace

No. 89.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno, State of California

The People of the State of California, Plaintiff

vs.

Mrs. Annie Holkey and Mrs. Carrie Libbee, Defendant

true names Mrs A B Allen & Mrs Carrie Gunrich

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

J. D. Turner

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|---|
| March | 14 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 16. | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 16. | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Mrs. A.B. Allen" & "My true name is Mrs. Carrie Gunrich." |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and are by the Court informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises. |
| " | 16 | Counsel for defendants file written demurrer to complaint. |
| " | 16 | Demurrer to complaint is by the Court overruled. (Exception taken.) |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court, waive further time & plead not guilty. |
| " | 16 | Defendants' bail fixed at $250.00 each not given. |
| " | 16 | Defendants demand an immediate trial and the Court fixes March 18th 1895 at 9 A.M. whon day of trial will be announced. |
| " | 18 | Defendants in Court and their trial is set for Apr. 1st 1895 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 26 | Defendants file affidavit for change of venue |
| " | 26 | It is ordered that the trial of this cause be transferred to the court of A. A. G. Austin, Justice of the Peace of the 3rd Fresno County |

S. C. Colton
Justice of the Peace

No. 90

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

**The People of the State of California.**
Plaintiff

vs.

R. A. Wilson alias
E. L. Henderson
Defendant

Action
Robbery.

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. | J. T. Berry. |
|---|---|---|
| March 14 | **Complaint filed and Warrant issued.** | |
| | Warrant served, returned and filed. | |
| | Defendandant taken to Oregon. | |

No. 91.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe
Richard Doe
Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Ah Mow |
|---|---|---|
| March | 14 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| | | Warrant served, returned and filed. |

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No. 92.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California.

Plaintiff

vs.

Mrs. Annie Holkey

and Mrs. Carrie Libbee

Defendants

true names Mrs A B Allen + Mrs Carrie Gurrich

Action Burglary

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Van Meter + Walser

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. T. E. Collins |
|---|---|---|
| March | 15 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 16 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is "Mrs. A.B. Allen" + "My true names is Mrs. "Carrie Gurrich." |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned are by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises. |
| " | 16 | Defendants bail fixed at $1000. each, not given. |
| " | 16 | Defendants demand an immediate preliminary examination and the Court fixes March 18th 1895 at 9 A.M. as the time at which the day of examination will be announced for hearing — (Deft. excepts.) |
| " | 18 | At time set defendants in Court with their counsel and the Court asks counsel for defendants which one of the cases he desired to have set for hearing first. To which he replied "we have no suggestions to offer on this subject — Whereupon the court fixed Mch. 19th 1895 at 2 P.M. as the time for the examination of defendants in this cause — |
| " | 18 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the people. |
| " | 19 | Above subpoena returned and filed. |
| " | 19 | At the time set Defendants in Court with their Counsel and G. W. Jones representing the people — and the examination proceeds — Miss Lou Beardon is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination. All witnesses are put under the rules T. E. Collins Mrs. T. E. Collins, Annie Quitley, A. C. Wightman, Robt. Schroure, A. J. Wiener + S. S. Crutcher are sworn and testify in behalf of the People — The matter is argued and submitted and by the Court taken under advisement — |
| Mch | 20 | Defendants in Court with the counsel and it appearing to the Court that the crime of burglary charged in the complaint herein has been committed and that there is sufficient cause to believe the defendants Mrs. A.B. Allen and Mrs. Carrie Gurrich guilty thereof I order that said defendants be held to answer to the charge of burglary before the Superior Court of Fresno County with bail fixed at $1000. each To which counsel for defendants excepts and also excepts to amount of bail as being excessive |

S. C. St. John

Justice of the Peace

Held to answer.

No. 93.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Mrs. Annie Wolkey and
Mrs. Carrie Libbie
Defendants

true names Mrs A B. Allen & Mrs Carrie Gunich

Action
Burglary

Demand $

G. W. Jones
Attorney for Plaintiff

Van Meter & Walker
Attorney for Defendant

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| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Anna E. Pratt |
|---|---|---|
| March | 15 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 16 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is "Mrs. A B. Allen" & "My true name is "Mrs. Carrie Gunich". |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and are by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises. |
| " | 16 | Defendants bail fixed at $1000. each. Not given. |
| " | 16 | Defendants demand an immediate preliminary examination, and the Court fixes March 18th 1895 at 9 AM. as the time at which the day of examination for hearing will be announced. |
| " | 18 | At the time set defendants in Court with their counsel and the Court fixes March 20th 1895 at 10 A. M. as the time for the examination of ~~examination~~ defendants in this case. |
| " | 20 | defendants in Court with their counsel Van Meter and on motion G. W. Jones counsel for the People moves that this case be dismissed on the ground that there was no sufficient evidence to be offered by the prosecution to hold the defendants. Wherefore the court orders that this case be dismissed the defendants discharged and the bail exonerated. |

S. C. St John
Justice of the Peace

Discharged

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No. 94.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Mrs. Annie Holkey and
Mrs. Carrie Libbee Defendants

true names Mrs A Ballen & Mrs Carrie Gurich

Action

Petit Larceny

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. E. Collins |
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| March | 15 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 16 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Mrs. A.B. Allen" & "My true name is Mrs Carrie Gurich". |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and are by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises. |
| " | 16 | Counsel for defendants file written demurrer to complaint. |
| " | 16 | Demurrer to complaint is by the Court overruled. Defendant excepts. |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court waive further time and plead not guilty |
| " | 16 | Defendants' bail fixed at $250.00 each Not given. |
| " | 16 | Defendants demand an immediate trial and the Court fixes March 18th 1895 at 9 A.M. as the time when day of trial will be announced |
| " | 18 | At the time set defendants in Court with their counsel and the Court fixed April 2nd 1895 at 10 o'clock A.M. as the time of trial. |
| " | 26 | Defendants file affidavit for change of venue |
| " | " | It is ordered that the trial of this cause be transferred to the Court of H. J. Austin a Justice of the Peace of the 3rd Township County of Fresno. |

H. J. Austin
Justice of the Peace

No. 95

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

V. Schmidt
Defendant

Action
Battery

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. V Toepfer |
|---|---|---|
| March | 16 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 16 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | " | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My True name is V. Schmidt" |
| " | 16 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed ~~arraigned~~ of the nature of the charge against him of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $50.00 and given with A. Baug and B. Klette as sureties. |

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No. 96

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California, Plaintiff

vs.

Frank Barden alias John Doe, Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. St. Dennas. |
|---|---|---|
| Mch | 16 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 16 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 16 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Frank Barden". |
| " | 16 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. The Court then fixes Mch 20th 1895 as time of trial and the defendant is permitted to go on his own recognizance — |

Dated

No. 97

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California ..... Plaintiff

vs.

Richard Roe

and John Doe

Defendant

Action

Burglary

Demand $.....

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Evid. Maas. |
|---|---|
| March. 18 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| | Warrant served, returned and filed. |

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No. 98.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff

vs.

James David
Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Jamie David |
|---|---|
| March 19 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " 19 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " 19 | Defendant arraigned and upon hearing his statement and that of the complainant the case is dismissed |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

No. 99.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff
vs.
Frank Smith
Defendant

Action Petit Larceny

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Louis Orsolini |
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| Mch. | 23. | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 23 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 23 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Frank Smith". |
| " | 23 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendant's deposits $25.00 Cash as bail. Defendant's trial fixed for April 6th 1895. at 10 A.M. |
| Apr. | 6 | On motion of deft. trial in continued to May 2/95 at 9 A.M. |
| May | 21 | On motion of defendant trial continued to May 24/95 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 24 | At the time set defendant and his counsel in Court waive a jury announces himself ready and the trial proceeds. Joe Tojnera, P. Imperatrice, L. Orsolina, J. Albin, Joe Magri are sworn & testify in behalf of the people, and H. Z. Austin, J. Spano and F. Smith are sworn and testify in behalf of defendant. The matter is submitted and taken under advisement. |
| June | 10 | The Court this day finds the defendant not guilty and he is discharged and his bail exonerated. |

S C St John
Justice of the Peace

Tried
Not Guilty

JUN 13 1895

Received, $ 25.00
In Payment
Above Cash Bail
James Gallagher
atty for Def'dt.

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No. 100.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff
vs.
Wah Sonie
Defendant

Action Murder

Demand $

Dist. Atty & W. D. Crichton
Attorney for Plaintiff

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M. K. Harris
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Ah Fook |
|---|---|---|
| Mch | 25 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| Apr. | 1 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 1 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Wah Sonie". |
| " | 1 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises and on motion of defendant his examination is set for April 4th. 1895. |
| | | On motion of Dep. Dist. Atty. G. C. Freeman the name of W. D. Crichton is entered as special counsel for the prosecution. |
| Apr | 1 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the people – |
| " | 4 | Subpoena returned & filed |
| | 3 | Subpoena on part of defendant issued |
| " | 4 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the people |
| " | 4 | At the time set all parties are in Court including the defendant with his counsel and the examination proceeds. Miss Lou Bearden is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination. W. T. Maupin & Ah Gom are sworn and testify in behalf of the people. Loo Quong is sworn as interpreter for chinese. On motion of plaintiff and consent of defendant trial adjourned to April 6th. 1895 at 9:30 A. M. |
| " | 6 | Subpoena on part of defendant issued |
| " | 6 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the people |
| " | 6 | both above subpoenas returned & filed – |
| " | 6 | At the time set all parties in Court including defendant & his counsel and the Examination proceeds, Wong Lee & Wong Ying are sworn both in the usual manner and also according to the chinese custom and testify in in behalf of the people – J. E. Ragsdale & A. T. Connard are sworn and testify in behalf of the defendant. The matter is submitted and the Court takes the matter under advisement until April 8th – at 9 A.M. |
| Apr. | 8 | At the time set defendant in Court and it appearing to the Court that from the examination that a public offense has been committed |

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No. 101

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff
vs.
Ed. Reynolds
Defendant

Action Burglary
Demand $

E. A. Williams
Attorney for Plaintiff
S. R. Hart
Attorney for Defendant

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| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. E. J. Wright. |
|---|---|---|
| March | 26 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 26 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 26 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Ed. Reynolds. |
| " | 26 | Defendant in Court as is by the Court duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon asks that his examination be set for April 15th. 1895 at 2 P.M. |
| Apr. | 15 | At the time set defendant in Court and the examination proceeds Miss Lou Bearden is appointed Short hand reporter for this occasion. E. J. Wright & S. S. Crutcher are sworn & testify in behalf of the people Ed. Reynolds is sworn and testifies in behalf of the defendant The dept. Dist atty moves that the charge be reduced to petty larceny and the deft permitted to plead guilty thereto which is ordered done by the court and Apr. 20th. at 1 P.M. is the time set for passing judgment. |
| Apr. | 20 | At the time set defendant in Court and it is by the Court ordered ~~and~~ that the defendant Ed. Reynolds be confined in the County jail of Fresno County for the term of sixty days as a punishment for the offense of petty Larceny committed in Fresno County on or about Mch. 25/95. |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

60 days. Com.

People vs Wah Sonie brought forward from page 100.

People vs Wah Sonie

and that there is sufficient reason to believe the guilty of the crime of Murder as charged in the complaint herein I order that the defendant Wah Sonie be held to answer to the charge of murder before the Superior Court of Fresno County without bail

Done in open Court this 8th. day of April 1895

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Held to answer
Papers delivered to Dist Atty.

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No. 102

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

George Hatch Defendant

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

H. Larson

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|---|
| March | 28 | **Complaint filed and Warrant issued.** |
| " | 28 | **Warrant served, returned and filed.** |
| " | 28 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is George Hatch. |
| " | 28 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty— Defendants bail fixed at $150.00 which is given with P. G. Hart and W. H. McKenzie as sureties— |
| June | 19 | Defendant in Court and his trial is set for June 27/95 at 10 A.M. |
| | 27 | On motion of defendant trial continued to July 2/95 at 2 P. M. |
| July | 2 | At the time set defendant is in Court and announces himself ready for trial. After waiting for more than one hour after the time set for trial and the complainant and the only witness for the People failing to appear the court orders this case dismissed, the defendant discharged and his bail exonerated— S. C. St John Justice of the Peace. |

No. 109.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

R. M. Munro and Mrs. R. M. Munro Defendant

Action Grand Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. James Sinclair |
|---|---|
| 1895 Apr. 1 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| | Warrant served, returned and filed. |

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No. 104

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff

vs.

G. T. Gilbert
Defendant

Action Search Warrant

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 1 | ~~Complaint~~ Affidavit filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 3 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |

No. 105

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff

vs.

W. Moore Young
Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $ 4

Witnesses Crutcher & Russell

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. A. J. Wickes Selma R.C. |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 1 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 3 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 3 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is W. Moore Young" |
| " | 3 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises waives time and pleads guilty and waiving time for judgment the Court renders judgment as follows, viz: It is by this Court ordered ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of battery committed as charged in the complaint, that you the defendant W. Moore Young pay a fine of $5.60 |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Fined $5.60 pd.
Pd. to County Treasurer

No. 106.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

George Bowen and Charles Lay Defendant

Action Vagrancy.

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. D. Centcher |
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| April | 3 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | " | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 3 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is George Bowen" and "My true name is Charles Lay." |
| " | 3 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon plead not guilty waiving further time- Defendants permitted to go on their own recognizance and their trial set for Apr. 16th 1895 at 10 A.M. |

Dated.

No. 107.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

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|---|---|
| The People of the State of California. Plaintiff vs. Edward Winters Defendant | Action Grand Larceny<br>Demand $<br>4<br>Attorney for Plaintiff<br>Attorney for Defendant |

1895 DATE. PROCEEDINGS. James Smith

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 3 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 8 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Edward Winters." |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail fixed at $200.00 and given with J. M. Bridges and Stephen Truett as sureties Defendant asks that his examination be not set at this time |
| Apr. | 15. | On motion of defendant his examination is set for Apr. 17th. 95 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 17 | Subpoena issued on part of defendant |
| " | 17 | Subpoena returned & filed— |
| " | 17 | Subpoena issued on part of the people |
| " | 17 | Subpoena returned & filed. |
| Apr. | 17 | At the time set defendant in Court announces himself ready and the examination proceeds. James Smith is sworn and testifies in behalf of the people and Edward Winters, A. D. Green, and Sam Robinson are sworn and testify in behalf of defendant. The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that no public offense has been committed it is ordered that the defendant be discharged the case dismissed and his bail exonerated |

S. C. St John
Justice of the Peace

Examined
Dismissed

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No. 108

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

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|---|---|
| The People of the State of California. Plaintiff<br>vs.<br>John Doe Defendant | Action Grand Larceny<br>Demand $<br>Attorney for Plaintiff<br>Attorney for Defendant |

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. T. Gilbert, J. | 18 |
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| Apr. 4 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued.<br>Warrant served, returned and filed. | |

No. 109.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff
vs.
James Flynn alias John Doe and
William Craven alias Richard
Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dennas. |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 5 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 9 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 9 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is James Flynn" and "My true name is Wm Craven". |
| " | 9 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the Premises they thereupon wave time and defendant Wm Craven pleads not guilty and defendant James Flynn Pleads guilty, Defendant James Flynn waives time for judgment and the Court renders judgment as follows Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of vagrancy committed at Fresno County on the 5th day of April 1895 as charged in the complaint herein that you the defendant James Flynn be confined in the Fresno County Jail for the term of 30 days. |

S C S John
Justice of the Peace

Flynn 30 ds - Com.
Craven floated

110

No. 110

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Thomas Ford Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. W. P. Elder |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 6 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | " | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 6 | Defendant in court and to the court states "My true name is Thomas Ford" |
| " | 6 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty and waiving time for judgment the Court renders judgment as follows: It is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the crime of battery committed in Fresno County on the 5th. day of April as charged in the complaint herein that you the defendant Thomas Ford be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 60 days. |

W. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

60 ds. Costs.

No. 111.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Wah Lung & Ah Chee Defendant

Action Conducting the Game of Fan

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

J. D. Morgan

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 6 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 6 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 6 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Wah Lung" and "My true name is Ah Chee". |
| " | 6 | Defendants in Court and are by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises whereupon they ask for and are granted time in which to plead. Defendants' bail fixed at $250.00 each which is furnished with Jas Duck & Quon Jee as sureties. |
| " | 18 | Defendants in Court with their counsel and waive further time and plead guilty. Defendants waive time for judgment and the Court passes judgment as follows to wit. Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged that as a punishment for the crime of Conducting the game of Fan committed in Fresno County on the 6th day of April 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant Wah Lung and you the defendant Ah Chee pay a fine of $25.00 Done in open Court this 18th. day of April 1895. S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |

Fine $25.00 each Paid, 4/20-95

Paid to County Treasurer.

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No. 112

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Edwin Murphy Defendant

Action Fraudulent Voting a felony

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

S R Hurt

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. A. J. Hudson. |
|---|---|---|
| April | 8 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 8. | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Edwin Murphy". |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail fixed at $200. and furnished with Wm Shilas and J. J. Rodgers as sureties - Defendants examination set for Apr. 12/95 at 9:30 |
| " | 12 | At the time defendant and his counsel in Court all parties announce themselves ready and the examination proceeds. A. J. Hudson and Till Burks are sworn and testify in behalf of the people and James Rogers is sworn and testifies in behalf of defendant The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that no public offense has been committed this case is dismissed, the defendant discharged and his bail exonerated. |

D C Forga
Justice of the Peace

Examined
Dismissed

No. 113.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe Johnson alias Missouri Kid true name Wm Johnson Defendant

Action Fraudulent Voting a felony

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

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| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. D. Jones |
|---|---|---|
| April | 8. | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 8 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Wm Johnson" |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail fixed at $200. which is furnished with F. P. Wickersham and S. Woldenberg as sureties – Defendants examination is set for Apr. 12/95 at 9 A.M. |
| Apr. | 12 | At the time set defendant in Court and the examination proceeds. On motion of deputy district attorney Jones this case is dismissed for the reason that the witnesses for the prosecution had failed to appear. The defendant is discharged and his bail is exonerated – |

S C Short John
Justice of the Peace

Examined
dismissed

114

No. 114.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Thomas Maloney Defendant

Action Fraudulent Voting a felony

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Geo. Rupert |
|---|---|---|
| April | 8. | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | " | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Thomas Maloney." |
| " | 8 | Defendant in and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises— Defendants bail fixed at $200. which is furnished with F. P. Wickersham and Wm Shields as sureties— Defendants Exam. set for April 12th 1895. 10 A.M. |
| " | 12 | At the time set defendant in Court and the examination proceeds— George Rupert is sworn and testifies for the people and Thomas Maloney is sworn and testifies in behalf of the defendant— Receipt for room-rent offered in evidence by defense— The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that no public offense has been committed the case is dismissed and defendant discharged S C Tolby Justice of the Peace |

Dismissed

No. 115

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

A. H. Costely Defendant

Action Fraudulent Voting a felony

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. H. Morrison |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 8 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | " | |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is A. H. Costley." |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises Defendants bail fixed at $200. which is furnished with F. P. Wickersham & C. E. Wood as sureties. Defendants ~~trial~~ examination set for Apr. 12th 1895 at 3 P. M. |
| " | 12 | At the time set the defendant in Court and announces himself ready. After waiting a reasonable time for the prosecuting witness. this case is dismissed on motion of deputy district attorney G. W. Jones S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |

Dismissed

116

No. 116.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

W. D. Grady Defendant

Action Fraudulent Voting a felony

Demand $

L. H. Moultrie & A. C. Williams Attorneys for ~~Plaintiff~~ Deft

G. C. Freeman Attorney for ~~Defendant~~ Plaff

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. John Healy |
|---|---|
| April 8 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " 8 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " 10 | Defendant in court and to the court states "My true name is W. D Grady— |
| " 10 | Defendant in court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights against, demands an immediate examination of his case which is granted and the examination proceeds— |
| " 10 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the people |
| " 10 | Subpoena " " " " " " |
| " 10 | both above subpoenas returned and filed— |
| " 10 | Miss Lou Bearden is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination— |
| | L. W. Rufro, Phil Scott and Charles Henry are sworn and testify in behalf of the people— |
| | The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that the prosecution had failed to show that a public offense had been committed it- is ordered that this case be dismissed and the defendant discharged— |
| | J. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |
| | Dismissed |

No. 116.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

John A. Barker Defendant

Action Fraudulent Voting a felony

Demand $

G. C. Freeman Attorney for Plaintiff

E. D. Edwards Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. John Healy |
|---|---|---|
| April | 8 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 8 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 8 | The defendant in court and duly informs the court and states "My true name is John A. Barker." |
| " | 8 | Defendant in court and duly arraigned and is by the court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises |
| | | Defendants Bail fixed at $200 which is furnished with E. F. Benhard and James Graham as sureties |
| | | Defendants examination is set for Apr. 10/95 at 10 A.M. |
| Apr. | 10 | At the time set defendant in court with his counsel and the examination proceeds— |
| | | Miss Lou Barden is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination— |
| | | John Healy is sworn and testifies in behalf of the people. Pltff. rests. |
| | | The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that no public offense had been committed the case is dismissed and the defendant discharged and his bail exonerated. |
| | | S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |
| | | Dismissed. |

No. 118.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Florence Hamilton alias Jane Doe Defendant

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Earnest Lange |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 9 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 9 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 9 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Florence Hamilton." |
| " | 9 | Defendant is in Court and being by the Court duly informed ~~by~~ of the nature of the charge against her and of all her legal rights in the premises she thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defts bail fixed at $100. which is furnished with A. Annanet and L. Rochon as sureties. Defendants trial set for April 11th. 1895. at 2 P.M. |
| Apr. | 11 | At the time set defendant is in Court and announced herself ready for trial. The complaining witness is called for ~~&~~ by the Officer to ~~xx~~ which no answer is made. The Court being informed that the complainant had gone without the jurisdiction of the Court and that there were no other witnesses for the prosecution, the Court examined the defendant and it appearing to the Court that no public offense had been committed dismissed the case and ordered the defendant discharged ~~mussed~~ and her bail exonerated. |

J. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed

No. 119

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California, Plaintiff

vs.

James Gas
Thomas Flynn Defendant

Action Robbery

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. James Hassin |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 9 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 10 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 10 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is "James Flynn." |
| " | 10 | Defendant in Court and is duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defts bail fixed at $2000. Not given Defendant's examination set for hearing Apr. 15th 95 at 9 AM. |
| Apr. | 15 | Examination continued to May 13th 1895 at 10 A. M. |
| May | 13 | At the time set defendant in Court and it appearing impossible to have the prosecuting witness present and after examining other witnesses the Court finds the testimony insufficient and the defendant is discharged |

S C St John
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed

No. 120.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff
vs.
Kee On alias John Doe
(a chinese) Defendant

Action Petty Larceny
Demand $
Attorney for Plaintiff
X
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Mary Bell |
|---|---|---|
| April | 10. | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 10 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 10 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states through interpreter Loo Quong "My true name is Kee On". |
| " | 10 | Defendant in Court and through said interpreter Loo Quong is duly arraigned and being by the court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him & of all his legal rights in the premises whereupon he waives time & pleads not guilty Defendants bail fixed at $100.00 not given Defendants trial set for Apr. 17th 1895 at 2 P.M. |
| " | 17 | At the time set defendant in Court and waives a jury and the trial proceeds. Mrs. Mary Bell, Cora Boltright and J. W. Dumas are sworn and testify in behalf of the People - Loo Quong is sworn as chinese interpreter and Kee On is sworn and testifies in his own behalf - The matter is submitted and the Court finds the defendant not guilty and his is discharged |

S C S John
Justice of the Peace

Tried.
not guilty

No. 121

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff
vs.
Wm J. Evans
Defendant

Action Fraudulent Voting a Felony

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff
S R Start
Attorney for Defendant

1895 DATE. PROCEEDINGS. S. A. Roundtree

Apr. 10 Complaint filed and Warrant issued.
" 11 Warrant served, returned and filed.
" 11 Defendants in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Wm J. Evans
" 11 Defendant in Court and duly arraigned is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises
Defendants bail fixed at $200. and is furnished with James Graham and S. Woldenberg as sureties
Defendants examination set for Apr. 13/95 at 10 AM.
Apr 13 At the time set defendant and his counsel in Court and the examination proceeds. Saml. Roundtree. B. T. Alford, Jesse Cooper, Robt. Macourt, John Root, F. P. Smart, Wm Johnson are sworn and testify in behalf of the prosecution and Dave Cosgrave, W. J. Evans, J. W. Lynch and Henry Vollmers are sworn and testify in behalf of defendant. The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that no public offense has been committed the defendant is discharged and his bail exonerated.

S C St John
Justice of the Peace

Examined.
Dismissed.

122

No. 122

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

James Ward Defendant

Action Burglary

Demand $ 4

Witnesses
Jas Gallagher
Wm Perry
A Fountain

Attorney for Plaintiff
W. D. Crichton

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. T. Bratton |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 10 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 10 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 10 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is James Ward" |
| " | 10 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises— |
| " | 12 | Defendants bail fixed at $1500. not given |
| " | 12 | Defendants examination is set for Apr. 12/95 at 2 P.M |
| " | 12 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the people |
| " | 12 | Subpoena returned & filed— |
| " | 12 | Subpoena issued in behalf of people |
| " | 12 | Subpoena returned & filed. |
| " | 12 | At the time set all parties in Court including the defendant and his counsel and the examination proceeds— Miss Lou Beardsley is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination. T. Bratton, W. A. Perry and S. B. Mulcahy are sworn and testify in behalf of the people The prosecution rests, The defendant offers no testimony— The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that the crime of burglary has been committed as charged in the complaint and that there is sufficient reason to believe the defendant guilty thereof, I order that the defendant James Ward be held to answer to the charge of burglary before the Superior Court of Fresno County with bail fixed at $500.00— |

D. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Held to Answer
Papers filed with Dist Atty

No. 123.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Hiram Tickle
Defendant

Action
Battery

Demand $

4

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. John Morley |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 10 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 15 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 15 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Hiram Tickle". |
| " | 15 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendant allowed to go on his own recognizance. |

No. 124.

# In the Justice's Court of ____ Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Albert Reherman Defendant

Action Threatened Offense

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Mrs. C. St. Alexander |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 11 | Information ~~Complaint~~ filed and Warrant issued. |
| May | 11 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| May | 11 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Alber Reherman". |
| May | 11 | Defendand in Court and the information is read to him and the defendant controvert the charge and asks that the examination proceed at this time- Mrs. C. St. Alexander is sworn as testifies in behalf of the People and Albert Reherman is sworn and testifies in behalf of defendant The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that there is no sufficient reason to believe that the threat charged in the information will be executed it is ordered that the defendant be discharged S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |
| | | Examined Dismissed |

No. 125.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Mary E. McGuire & W. S. Judkins Defendant

Action Adultery

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

E. S. Van Meter

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. T. McGuire |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 13 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 14 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 14 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state "My true name is Mary E. McGuire and "My true name is W. S. Judkins." |
| " | 14 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and are by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail fixed at $250. each which is furnished with D. H. Williams and George Shorling as sureties and the defendants are ordered released from custody. At motion of defendants the examination is set for Apr. 19th 1895 at 9 A. M. |
| Apr. | 19 | At the time set defendants are in Court with their counsel announce themselves ready and the examination proceeds. C. Scribner is appointed shorthand reporter. J. T. McGuire and J. A. Burns & Flora Gray are sworn and testify in behalf of the people. The matter is submitted and it appearing to the court that no public offense has been committed the case is ordered dismissed the defendants discharged and their bail exonerated — |

S. C. St John

Justice of the Peace

Examined
Dismissed

126

No. 126.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

J. L. Mc
The People of the State of California.
Plaintiff

vs.

J L McCracken, Louis Huff, Jake Hupof
Geo Stelzer & C H. Stimpson
Defendant

Action
Vagrancy

Demand $

4

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. L. Crutcher |
|---|---|---|
| April | 15 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | " | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 15 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is J. L. McCracken" "My true name is Louis Huff" "My true name is Jake Hupof" "My true name is Geo. Stelzer" and "My true name is C. H. Stimpson" |
| " | 15 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead not guilty. |
| | | Defendants Trial set for Apr. 20th 1895 |
| | | Defendants permitted to go on their own recognizance |

Floated.

No 127.

The People &c. vs J. C. Moores. brot from page 127

following verdict. Fresno Cal. May 28th 1895.
We the jury find the defendant guilty as charged
W. D. Bowen, Foreman — The jury is discharged and the defendant waives time and the Court renders judgment as follows —
Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of cruelty to animals as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant J. C. Moores be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 30 days.

Sedgwick
Justice of the Peace

Tried & found guilty
30 days. Com

No. 127

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

J. C. Moores Defendant

Action Cruelty to Animals

Demand $ 4

Attorney for Plaintiff

J. L

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. W. S. Scott |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 19 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 20 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 20 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is J. C. Moores". Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty— Defendant trial set for May 3/95 at 9 A.M. Defendant allowed to go on his own recognizance |
| May | 3 | Defendant in Court and on his motion trial continued to May 13/95 at 10 A. M. |
| May | 17 | Defendant in Court and his trial is set for May 25th. 1895 at 9 A.M., and the defendant is ordered by the Court to appear for trial on that day and at that time, |
| May | 25 | At the time set defendant in Court and on his motion the trial of this case is continued to May 28th 1895 at 9 A.M. |
| " | 25 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the people |
| " | 25 | Subpoena issued issued in bhalf of defendant. |
| " | 27 | Both above subpoenas returned & filed— |
| May | 28 | Summons & Venire issued for 20 Jurors At the time set defendant and his counsel in Court announce themself ready and the trial proceeds. C. C. Lyons, S. W. Grigsby, H. F. Martin John Church, J. F. Church, J. T. Campell, Geo. Rupert, J. F. Bailey, Jesse Irvine W. D. Bowen, J. P. Leighton, N. Tenzi & W. A. Bostick are sworn as jurors to try the case— W. S. Scott, Mrs. W. S. Scott, John Anton, A. P. Blackler & T. Pickford, are and testify in behalf of the people and J. Zeigler, A. C. McSwain, R. Sholz and J. C. Moores are sworn and testify in behalf of defendant. The matter is submitted and the jury is placed in charge of a sworn officer. The jury retires for deliberation and afterward returns into Court with the |

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No. 128

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California, Plaintiff

vs.

Henry Pero Defendant

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $

9th May 5

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Mary Fris |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 20. | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 20 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 20 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is "Henry Pero." |
| " | 20 | Defendant in Court and and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants trial set for May 7th 1895 at 10 A.M. The defendant being well known to the Court he is permitted to go on his own recognizance. |
| May | 7 | On motion of defendant this trial is continued to May 14/95 at 9 A.M. |
| " | 14 | At the time set the defendant is in Court with his counsel and witnesses and announces that he is ready for trial. After waiting a reasonable time to wit: one hour for the complainant and witness for the prosecution to appear the Court on motion of defendant orders this case dismissed and the defendant discharged Done in open Court this 14th. day of May 1895 S. St. John Justice of the Peace. |

Dismissed

No. 129

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California, Plaintiff

vs.

Roy Smith, Defendant

Action Grand Larceny

Demand $.....

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

J. H. Terry

| DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 20. | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 20 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 20 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "my true name is Roy Smith." |
| " | 20 | Defendant in Court and the complaint is by the Court read to him and he is duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises |
| " | 20 | Defendants bail fixed at $1500 – not given |
| " | 22 | Defendants examination set for April 24. 1895 at 9 A.M. and subpoena issued |
| " | 24 | Subpoena returned filed |
| " | 24 | at the time set all parties are present and the examination proceeds Lou Beardon is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination. J. H. Terry, J. H. Collins are sworn and testify in behalf of the People The defendant offers no testimony and it appearing to the Court that the offence of grand Larceny has been committed and that there is just cause to believe the defendant guilty thereof Order that he be held to answer the same before the Superior Court of Fresno County and that he be admitted to bail in the sum of $1000 – |

A. Z. Austin

Justice of the Peace of the 3rd Township, County of Fresno, State of California; sitting at the request of, and acting for S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace of said 3 Township.

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No. 130.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

Steven Addone alias John Doe Defendant

Action Threatened Offense

Demand $ 5

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. W. A. Driver |
|---|---|---|
| April | 30 | Information Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| May | 2 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 2 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Steven Addone". |
| " | 2 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises whereupon he controverts the charge. Defendants examination set for May 10th. 1895 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 10 | At the time set defendant in Court all parties announce themselves ready and the examination proceeds. Miss Lou Beardue is appointed short hand reporter. W. A. Driver is sworn and testifies for the people and Steven Addone is sworn and testifies for defendant. and it appearing to the Court that there is just reason to fear the commission of the offense charged it is ordered that the defendant file and undertaking with two or more sureties in the sum of $200.00 to keep the peace toward the people of the State of Cala. and particularly toward W. A. Driver. |

S C Johns
Justice of the Peace

No. 131.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California, Plaintiff

vs.

Wm Simpson alias John Doe Simpson, Defendant

Action Petty Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. W. H. Hammon |
|---|---|---|
| Apr. | 30 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| May | 1 | Warrant served, returned and filed. |
| " | 1 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Wm Simpson" |
| " | 1 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $100. which is furnished with W. J. Wilson & J. Norman as sureties. |
| " | 1 | On motion of defendant trial set for May 9/95 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 9 | At the time set defendant and his counsel in Court announce themselves ready waive a jury and the trial proceeds before the Court. J. A. Klee & W. H. Hammon are sworn and testify in behalf of the people and Wm Simpson is sworn and testifies in his own behalf. The matter is submitted and the Court finds the defendant not guilty, and it is ordered that he be discharged and his bail exonerated. S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |
| | | Tried Not guilty |

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No. 132

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California.

The People of the State of Cal^a. — Plaintiff

vs.

Mrs. M. F. Martins — Defendant

Action Robbery

Demand $ .....

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. P. Harrell |
|---|---|
| May 1 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| | Dismissed |

No. 133.

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of the State of Cal a
Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe
Defendant

Action

Burglary

Demand $.....

5

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Frank Tirano |
|---|---|
| May 1 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |

No. 1311

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Crawford & Charles Crawford — Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $.....

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. C. M. Buckley |
|---|---|
| May 2 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " " | Warrant returned and filed — |
| " " | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is John Crawford and "My true name is Charles Crawford" |
| " 2 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead not guilty. Defendants demand an immediate trial and waive a jury and the trial proceeds. |
| | C. M. Buckley is sworn and testifies in behalf of the plaintiff and John Crawford and Chas. Crawford are sworn and testify in behalf of defendants |
| | The matter is submitted and the Court finds the defendants guilty as charged. Defendants waive time for judgment and the Court renders judgment as follows. |
| | Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged that as a punishment for the offense of Disturbing the Peace as charged in the complaint that you the defendant John Crawford and you the defendant Charles Crawford be confined in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of five days. |

S. A. Johns
Justice of the Peace

Tried & found Guilty
5 ds. each. Com.

No. 135

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Jane Doe — Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $.....

..... Attorney for Plaintiff

..... Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Cruickshank |
|---|---|
| May 3 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| | Void no chg to County |

136

No. 136.

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

C. E. Crouklite — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $ .....

5 — 60 Pd

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Elizabeth Crouklite |
|---|---|
| May 3 | Complaint filed & ~~Summons~~ Warrant issued |
| " 3 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " 3 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is C. E. Crouklite". |
| " 3 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty. He also waives time for judgment and the and the Court fines the defendant $5-60 which is paid into Court |

S. C. Johnson
Justice of the Peace

Plead Guilty
Fined $5.-60 Pd.-
Paid to County Treasurer

No. 137.

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Monroe Bridges. Alias

John Doe — Defendant

Action Petit Larceny

Demand $ .....

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..... Attorney for Plaintiff

..... Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. John Morley |
|---|---|---|
| May | 4 | Complaint filed and Warrant Issued |
| " | 4 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 4 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendant is permitted to go on his own his own recognizance |

No. 138

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Carl Schongaard alias John Doe — Defendant

Action: Disturbing the Peace

Demand $.....

..... Attorney for Plaintiff

5 ..... Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Lenig Jord |
|---|---|---|
| May | 4 | Complaint filed and Summons Issued |
| " | 4 | Warrant returned and filed |
| " | 4 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Carl Schongaard" |
| " | 4 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty — The defendant being well known to the Court is permitted to go on his own recognizance — |

No. 139

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe — Defendant

Action: Petty Larceny

Demand $.....

..... Attorney for Plaintiff

..... Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Crutchen |
|---|---|
| May 6 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| | Void no chg to County |

No. 140

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Sam Ku
Defendant

Action
Playing the Game of Tan

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J.W. Dumas |
|---|---|
| May 7 | Complaint filed and Summons issued |
| | Void. No charge to County |

No. 141.

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff
vs.
Bud Hunsacker alias
John Doe Hunsacker
Defendant

Action
Burglary
Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. Haines |
|---|---|---|
| May | 9 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| Sep. | 21 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 21 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Bud Hunsacker" |
| " | 21 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail fixed at $1500.00 not given |
| Oct. | 26 | Defendant having plead guilty of another charge of Burglary in the Superior Court the District Attorney moves the Court to dismiss this case granted. |

S C St John
Justice of the Peace

142

No. 142.

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Lin Gee — Defendant

Action Playing the game of Fan

Demand $.....

..... Attorney for Plaintiff

..... Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dennis |
|---|---|
| May 9 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| | Void No chgs to County |

No. 143

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe — Defendant

Action ..... Search Warrant

Demand $ .....

..... Attorney for Plaintiff

..... Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|
| May 11 | Affidavit for Search Warrant made & Filed |
| " 11 | Search Warrant issued. |

144

No. 144

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe — Defendant

Action Search Warrant

Demand $.....

..... Attorney for Plaintiff

..... Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. A. E. Hayes | 18 |
|---|---|---|---|
| May | 11 | Affidavit for Search Warrant made & filed | |
| " | " | Search Warrant Issued | |

No. 145

# In the Justice's Court of _____ Township,

County of _____ State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Sallie Avery, Jane Avery and William Avery — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $ 5

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Jennie Gross |
|---|---|---|
| May | 11 | Complaint filed and Warrant Issued |
| " | 11 | Warrant returned and filed. |
| " | 11 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Sallie Avery" "My true name is Jane Avery" and "My true name is William Avery". |
| " | 13 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charges against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon enter their pleas as follows. Sallie Avery and Jane Avery plead not guilty and their trials are set for May 14th 1895 at 9 A.M. and are allowed by the Court to go on their own recognizance - Wm Avery pleads guilty and waives time for judgement and the Court orders that he pay a fine of $5.00 |
| " | 14 | Jane Avery & Sallie Avery tried & case dismissed as to Sallie Avery and defendant Jane Avery found guilty - fined $1.00 |

Wm Avery fined $5.00 Pd -
Jane Avery fined $1.00 Pd -
Sallie Avery Acquitted

E C St John
Justice of the Peace

Paid to County Treasurer

No. 146.

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Mary Bertha Alias Jane Doe — Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $.....

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dumas |
|---|---|---|
| May 11 | | Complaint filed and warrant issued |
| " | 11 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| | | There being no sufficient evidence against the defendant the court orders this case dismissed and defendant discharged |
| | | S. C. St John |
| | | Justice of the Peace |
| | | Dismissed |

No. 147.

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Lun Wo alias Ah. Gow — Defendant

Action Burglary

Demand $.....

..... Attorney for Plaintiff

..... Attorney for Defendant

| 189 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. H. M. Nicholson |
|---|---|---|
| May | 11 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 17 | Warrant returned served & filed |
| " | 17 | Defendant in court and to the court states "my true name is Lun Wo. |
| " | 17 | Defendant in court and duly arraigned and is by the court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail fixed at $1500.00 not given |
| May June | 1 | On motion of the district attorney this case is dismissed this day — |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

No. 148

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Frank Williams
Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Mary Bertha |
|---|---|---|
| May | 11 | Complaint filed and Warrant Issued |
| " | 11 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 11 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Frank William". |
| " | 11 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $50. which is given with Joe Saguire and F. Brougney as sureties. Defendants trial set for May 14th 1895 at 10 A. M. |
| " | 13 | Subpoena on part of defendant issued |
| " | 13 | Subpoena returned and filed - |
| " | 14 | Defendant in Court at the time set and announces himself ready for trial - The court after waiting a reasonable time for the complainant to appear to wit one hour and she failing to appear the Court orders the this case dismissed for want of prosecution and the defendant is discharged and his bail exonerated - |

S C S John
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed

No. 149.

# In the Justice's Court of the Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

A. G. Laverone — Defendant

Action Assault to commit Murder

Demand $

G. W. Jones. — Attorney for Plaintiff

Mark Walser & G. G. Gochnen — Attorney for Defendant

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| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. D. M. Rafailovich |
|---|---|---|
| May | 12 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 13 | Warrant returned and filed |
| " | 13 | Defendant is Court and to the Court states "My true name is A. G. Laverone" |
| " | 13 | Defendant is Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail for his examination fixed at $2000. which is given with Geo F. Church, L. Rochon, S. Evrigen and J. Huber as sureties - On motion of defendant the examination is not set at this time - |
| " | 17 | Defendants examination is set for May 23 1895 at 10 A.M. |
| May | 20 | Subpoena issued on part of the People |
| " | 22 | Subpoena on part of People returned and filed - |
| " | 23 | Subpoena on part of People issued |
| " | 23 | Subpoena on part of People returned & filed |
| " | 23 | Subpoena on part of defendant issued |
| " | " | Subpoena on part of defendant returned & filed |
| " | 23 | At the time set defendant in Court with his counsel and announces himself ready for the examination, G. W. Jones appears for the People and the examination proceeds, Miss Lou Beardon is appointed shorthand reporter. Paul Rumm, J. Tojneri, D. M. Rafailovich, E. S. Auburn, Tony Jeura are sworn and testify in behalf of the People. People rest. On motion of defendant Court adjourns to May 24/95 at 9 o'clock A.M. |
| " | 24 | Subpoena on part of defendant issued |
| " | 24 | Subpoena on part of defendant returned & filed |
| " | 24 | At the time set defendant & his counsel are in Court and the Examination proceeds |
| " | 24 | J. Tojneri & P. Rumm are called by the prosecution & testify for the People - |
| " | 24 | F. Miller is sworn and testifies for the People. The People rest. Henry Russell, L. Ferguson and A. Ibara are sworn and testify in behalf of defendant, D. Imperatrice is sworn as interpreter during the examination - Defendant rests. The matter is argued and submitted and is by the Court taken under advisement until May 25th 1895 at 10 o'clock A.M. see page 168. |

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No. 150

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Rosa Lavrone — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $ .....

G. C. Truman — Attorney for Plaintiff

5 Mark Kaiser — Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. P. Rumen |
|---|---|---|
| May | 12 | Complaint filed & Warrant Issued |
| Nov. | 12 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 12 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Rosa Lavroni" |
| " | 12 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the court duly informed of the nature of the charge against her and of all her legal rights in the premises she thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. |
| " | 12 | On motion of defendant trial set for this day at the hour of 10 A. M. |
| " | 12 | Summons & Venire issued for 25 citizens. qualified to act as jurors. |
| " | 12 | 2 Subpoenas issued in behalf of the people |
| " | 12 | 2 Subpoenas issued in behalf of the defendant |
| " | 12 | All above subpoenas returned & filed |
| " | 12 | Summons & Venire returned & filed. |
| " | 12. | At the time set all parties in Court with their counsel announce themselves ready and the trial proceeds. By request of defendant C. Scribner is appointed shorthand reporter for the purposes of this trial S. B. Brusie, W. Tungi, H. J. Dickerson, J. W. Van Tassel, W. H. Harris, H. F. Rowe C. H. Robinson, F. H. Driver, S. C. Greer, H. S. Clifton, A. W. Bagby and M. F. Hitchcock are sworn as jurors to try the case — Nick Sambuck is sworn as interpreter of Italian P. Rumen, L. Arsolini, J. Aviana, Joe Magri, D. M. Rafalovich are sworn and testify in behalf of the people and E. S. Auburn, F. Buchanan, R. Giaminani, A. G. Lavrone, C. A. Schweizer & Rosa Lavrone are sworn and testify in behalf of the defendant. The matter is argued and submitted and the jury placed in charge of a sworn officer and retire. For deliberation and afterward are brought into Court and state that they are unable to agree. The Court being convinced of this fact the jury is discharged with the consent of defendant. |
| | | S. C. St John |
| | | Justice of the Peace |
| Dec. | 18 | Case dismissed on motion of Deputy Dist. Atty. C. C. Truman. |

No. 151

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff
vs.
R. Gumagnani
Defendant

Action
Disturbing The Peace

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. P. Rumen |
|---|---|---|
| May | 12 | Complaint filed & Warrant Issued |
| Nov. | 12 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 12 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "my true name is R. Gumagnani". |
| " | 12 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty Defendants bail fixed at $100. which is given with G. Imperatrice & Mark Walser as sureties Bail bond filed & defendant ordered released |
| " | 29 | ~~It appearing to the Court from the testimony~~ |
| Dec. | 19 | On motion of deputy District attorney G. C. Freeman this case is ordered dismissed the defendant discharged and his bail exonerated — |
| | | S C St John<br>Justice of the Peace |
| Dec | 19 | Dismissed |

152

No. 152

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Gee Sing — Defendant

Action Playing the Game of Fan

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1896 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dunnan |
|---|---|
| May 13 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| | Void no chg to County |

No. 153

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Luke Brown — Defendant

Action Threatened Offense

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Mrs. D. A. Williams |
|---|---|---|
| May | 15 | Information filed and Warrant issued. |
| " | 17 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 17 | Defendant in Court and to the states "My true name is Luke Brown |
| " | 17 | Defendant in Court and the information is read in his presence and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him whereupon he controverts the charge. Defendants bail fixed at $200. which is given with James Smith & John Phillips as sureties. On motion of defendant the examination is set for June 1st 1895 at 10 A.M. |
| June | 1 | At the time set all parties in Court announce themselves ready and the examination proceeds. D. A. Williams is sworn and testifies in behalf of the people and Luke Brown is sworn and testifies in his own behalf. The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court from the testimony that there is no sufficient reason to fear that the offense charged in the information will be committed it is ordered that the case be dismissed the defendant discharged and his bail exonerated — |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Examined.
Dismissed.

No. 154.

# In the Justice's Court of The 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Isaac Cook — Defendant

Action: Forgery

Demand $:

Attorney for Plaintiff

W. D. Crichton

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Thomas E. Collins |
|---|---|---|
| May | 15 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 17 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 17 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Isaac Cook. |
| " | 17 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. |
| " | 17 | Defendants bail fixed at $1500.00 Not given |
| June | 17 | On motion of counsel for defendant examination is set for June 18th 1895 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 18 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the People |
| " | 18 | Subpoena returned & filed. |
| " | 18 | At the time set defendant and his counsel are in Court all parties announce themselves ready and the examination proceeds. T. E. Collins is sworn and testifies in behalf of the people. The check in controversy filed as evidence Mkd Peop. Ex a. The defendant offers no testimony, the matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court from the testimony that the offense of Forgery has been committed and there being go cause to believe the defendant Isaac Cook guilty thereof as charged in the complaint it is the order of this Court that you the defendant Isaac Cook be held to appear before the Superior Court of Fresno County and answer to the charge of Forgery with bail fixed at $1500.00 |

S. C. St. John

Justice of the Peace

Examined

Held to Answer

No. 155

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

J. K. Copeland and S. D. McIlroy alias John Doe — Defendant

Action a percentage playing the game

Demand $.....

..... Attorney for Plaintiff

..... Attorney for Defendant

E. B. Hayes

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|---|
| May | 15 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 15 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 15 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is J. K. Copeland" and "My true name is S. D. McIlroy." |
| May | 15 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises whereupon they ask for and are granted time in which to plead |
| " | 15 | Defendants bail fixed at $200, each which is given with J. T. Mitchel and Wm Evans as sureties. |
| " | 18 | Defendants in Court and plead not guilty — |
| " | 25 | Upon hearing the statement of the complainant the Court finds that the game in question is not a percentage game and therefore not unlawful and on motion of complainant the case is dismissed the defendants discharged and their bail exonerated. |

S. C. St. John

Justice of the Peace

Dismissed

156

No. 156.

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff
vs.
Wm Thompson and Joseph Johnson
Defendant

Action
Trespassing in Court House Park.
Demand $
Attorney for Plaintiff
Fined $2.50
5
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. L. Ferguson |
|---|---|---|
| May | 15 | Complaint filed and Warrant Issued |
| " | 15 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Wm Thompson and "My true name is Joseph Johnson |
| " | 15 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead guilty. They also waive time for rendering judgment and the Court orders that they pay a fine of $2.50 which is paid & defendants discharged |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Plead guilty
Fined $2.50 each Pd. Paid to County treasurer. $5.00

No. 157

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Nielsen — Defendant

Action Assault to Commit Murder

Demand $.....

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Antone Selback |
|---|---|---|
| May | 15 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 16 | Warrant served returned and filed. |
| " | 16 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "my true name is John Nilsen" |
| " | 16 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature & the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises — Defendants bail fixed at $500. which is given with N. C. Hansen & Andrew Hasselback as sureties. Defendants Examination set for May 22/95 at 2 P. M. |
| " | 22 | At the time set defendant in Court announces himself ready and the examination proceeds. Antone Selback & N. C. Hansen are sworn and testify in behalf of the people and John Nilsen is sworn and testifies in his own behalf. The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that no offense has been committed the case is ordered dismissed the defendant discharged and his bail exonerated — |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Examined.
Dismissed.

158

No. 158

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

A. J. Moore alias John Doe Moore, & Charles Moore alias Clarence Roe — Defendant

Action: Malicious Mischief

Demand $:

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Chris Krogh. |
|---|---|---|
| May | 16 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | 16 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 16 | Defendant A. J. Moore in court and to the Court states "My true name is A. J. Moore." |
| " | 16 | Defendant A. J. Moore in court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $100.00 which is given with T. J. Hill and G. W. Pearson as sureties. |

No. 159

# In the Justice's Court of the Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California Plaintiff

vs.

Isaac Cook Defendant

Action Forgery

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

W. D. Crichton

Attorney for Defendant

1895 DATE. PROCEEDINGS. T. S. Miller

May 16 Complaint filed & Warrant issued

" 17 Warrant returned served and filed

Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Isaa Cook."

Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises

Defendants bail fixed at $1500, Not given.

June 17 On motion of counsel for defendant examination is set for June 18th. 1895 at 10 A.M.

" 18 Subpoena issued in behalf of people

" 18 Subpoena returned & filed

" 18 At the time set defendant and his counsel are in Court and all parties announce themselves ready and the examination proceeds.

T. E. Miller is sworn and testifies in behalf of the people. Defendant offers no testimony The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court from the testimony that the offense of Forgery has been committed are there being good reason to believe the defendant guilty thereof it is the order of this Court that you the defendant Isaac Cook be held to appear before the Superior Court of Fresno County and answer to the charge of Forgery ast charged in the complaint with bail fixed at $15.00

S C S John
Justice of the Peace

Examined
Held to Answer

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No. 160

# In the Justice's Court of Ole Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Ah Sam, Ah Tong and Ah Chung — Defendant

Action Aiding and assisting in the Drawing of a Lottery.

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff
A. L. Evarts

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. N. Dumas. |
|---|---|
| May 18 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " 20 | Warrant served, returned and filed |
| " 20 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and are duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises. Defendants state to the Court "My true name is Ah Sam", "My true name is Ah Tong." & "My true name is Ah Chung." |
| " 22 | A. L. Evarts counsel for defendants appears and enters a plea of not guilty for defendants— Defendants file bail Bond in the sum of $100. each with Ah Kit & Ti Loy as sureties. |
| June 6 | An motion of counsel for defendants trial is set for June 10/95 at 2 P.M |
| " 10 | Trial continued indefinitely |

No. 161

# In the Justice's Court of the Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Ben Epstein — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. W. London |
|---|---|---|
| May | 18 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 20 | Warrant served returned and filed. |
| " | 20 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "my true name is Ben Epstein". |
| " | 20 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charged against him and of all his legal rights in the premisis he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. The defendant demands an immediate trial and the trial proceeds. Defendant wains jury Subpoena issued on behalf of the People Jesse Ray now and W. London are sworn and testify in behalf of the people and Ben Epstein is sworn and testifies in behalf of the defendant The matter is submitted and the Court finds the defendant not guilty and he is discharged— |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Tried.
Not guilty.

No. 162

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Mary Bertha — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Pierre Blanc |
|---|---|
| May 21 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " 21 | Warrant returned and filed |
| " 21 | Defendant in court and to the court states "My true name is Mary Bertha." |
| " 21 | Defendant in court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against her and of all her legal rights in the premises, she thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendant permitted to go at her own recognizance. |
| " 27 | On motion of complainant it is ordered that this case be dismissed & the defendant discharged. and |

S C St John
Justice of the Peace.

Dismissed

No. 163.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

James Ward — Defendant

Action Petit Larceny

Demand $

5 ds. 6

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|
| 1895 | J. T. Bratton |
| May 21 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued. |
| " 21 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " 21 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is James Ward". |
| " 21 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty and waiving time for judgment the Court being aware of the fact that defendant has been confined in Jail for about sixty days and on recommendation of the District attorney the Court renders judgment as follows. |

It is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of Petty Larceny committed in Fresno County as charged in the complaint ~~on file~~ that you the defendant James Ward be confined in the County Jail of Fresno County for five days—

S. C. St. John

Justice of the Peace

5 ds. Com.

164

No. 164

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Ah Sam. — Defendant

Action Aiding in the drawing of a lottery

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|
| 1895 | J. W. Dumas |
| May 11 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| | Void no charge to County |

No. 165

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Mary Gulig & Lucy Voiss alias Jane Doe alias "Susan Roe — Defendant

Action: Vagrancy

Demand $:

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. E. Ragsdale |
|---|---|
| May 25 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " 25 | Warrant served returned & filed. |
| " 25 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Mary Gulig" and "My true name is Lucy Voiss." |
| " 25 | Defendants in Court and and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $50.00 each which is given with L. Rochon and A. Stewart as sureties. |
| " 28 | The complainant in this case appears and asks that this case be dismissed on payment of the costs. From the statement of complainant it appears to the Court that the evidence is insufficient to convict and on payment of the costs amounting to Justice Costs $6.00 and Constables Costs $2.60 it is ordered that the case be dismissed the defendants discharged and the bail exonerated. S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |

Dismissed
Costs paid $8.60
Pd to County Treasurer

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No. 166.

# In the Justice's Court of the Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Henry Gutig alias John Doe Gutte — Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. E. Ragsdale |
|---|---|
| May 25 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " 25 | Warrant served returned and filed — |
| " 25 | Defendant in court and to the Court states "My true name is Henry Gutig" |
| " 25 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $50.00 which is given with L. Rochon and A. Hennault as sureties. |
| " 28 | The complainant in this case states to the Court that he desires to have the case dismissed and from what the Court could learn as to the evidence orders the case dismissed, the defendant discharged and the bail exonerated on payment of costs amounting to $ Justice costs $3.00 Const. Costs $1.30 Which is paid — |

J. E. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed
Costs $4.30 Pds
Paid to County Treasurer

No. 167

# In the Justice's Court of The 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe Massey — Defendant

Action Burglary

Demand $

6

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Chas Wilmack |
|---|---|
| May 25 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |

No.

# In the Justice's Court of Township,

County of State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

A. G. Laverone — Defendant

Action

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|
| | #149 Brot forward from page 149— |
| May 25 | At the time set defendant and his counsel in Court. Dep. Dist. Atty C.W. Jones Representing the Dist Attorney and the Court makes the following order. It appearing to the court that the crime of assault of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit murder as charged in the complaint has been committed and there being sufficient reason to believe the defendant A.G. Laverone guilty thereof it is the order of this Court that you the defendant, A.G. Laverone be held to appear before the Superior Court of Fresno County and answer to the charge of assault with a deadly weapon with intent to commit murder with bail fixed at $1500.00 and you are committed to the custody of the Sheriff of Fresno County until such bail is furnished— Bail is furnished with L. Rochon, Geo F. Church and S. Ewinger as sureties. |
| " 25 | Bail Bond filed. |
| | S.C.S. Johns Justice of the Peace |
| | Held to answer |
| | Papers delivered to Dist Atty. |

No. 169

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of Tuolumne State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John J Hogan alias John Doe — Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. W. D. Grady |
|---|---|
| May 27 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued. |
| " 27 | Warrant served returned & filed — |
| " 27 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is John J. Hogan". |
| " 27 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $100. Not given |
| " 29 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states that he is a hard working man and the Court finding that drunkness ~~is~~ was the cause of defendants troubles and that he is regularly employed orders this case dismissed and the defendant discharged — |

W. D. Grady
Justice of the Peace.

Dismissed.

170

No. 170.

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe, Rich. Roe & Wm Doe — Defendant

Action Grand Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. John Raisch |
|---|---|
| May 2d | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |

No. 171.

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Sullivan alias Peck Sullivan — Defendant

Action Vagrancy.

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

J. W. Dumas.

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|
| May 28 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " 29 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " 29 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is John Sullivan". |
| " 29 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. The Court examines into the case and allows the defendant to go on his own recognizance. |

S. C. St John
Justice of the Peace

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No. 172

# In the Justice's Court of the Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

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|---|---|
| The People of the State of California — Plaintiff<br>vs.<br>Bing Jong alias Sim Ake — Defendant | Action: Burglary<br>Demand $:<br>Wedge.<br>Attorney for Plaintiff<br>Attorney for Defendant |

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. K. W. Nishkian |
|---|---|
| May 29 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued. |
| " 31 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " 31 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Bing Jong." |
| " 31 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail fixed at $1500. |
| June 7 | On motion of the district attorney this case is ordered dismissed and the defendant discharged— S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |

No charge to County see next page
Wrong date in the complaint.

No. 173

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff
vs.
Bing Tong
Defendant

Action Burglary

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff
Mark Walsen
Attorney for Defendant

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| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. K. M. Nishkian |
|---|---|---|
| May | 31 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| June | 1 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 1 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Bing Tong." Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge and of all his legal rights in the premises Defendants bail fixed at $1500.00 which is given with Ah Kit and Joe Sing as sureties. Defendants examination set for June 7/1895 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 7 | Subpoena on part of people issued. |
| " | 7 | Subpoena returned and filed. |
| " | 7 | At the time set defendant and his counsel are in Court and on motion of Dept. District attorney G.C. Freeman this case is dismissed the defendant discharged and the bail exonerated on the ground of the insufficiency of the evidence in possession of the prosecution — S.C. Sohn Justice of the Peace |

Dismissed —

No. 174

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Charles Sanders — Defendant

Action Threatened Offuse

Demand $

6

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Charles Blackweather |
|---|---|---|
| June | 1 | Information filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 1 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 1 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Charles Sanders. |
| " | 1 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon controverts the charge — Defendants examination set for June 6th. 1895. at 10 A. M. |
| June | 5 | Subpoena issued in behalf of People |
| " | " | Subpoena returned & filed |
| " | 6 | At the time set the defendant is in Court and announces himself ready and the examination proceeds — Charles Blackweather, Susan Heath & M Disney are sworn and testify in behalf of the People — Charles Sanders is sworn and testifies in his own behalf. The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that there is no just reason to fear the commission of the offuse alleged to have been threatened in the information the information is dismissed and the defendant discharged |

SCS John
Justice of the Peace

Discharged

No. 175

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff
vs.
Sam Phillips
Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. H. Hotchkiss complainant |
|---|---|---|
| June | 1 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 4 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 4 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Sam Phillips." |
| " | 4 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises and thereupon defendant waives time and pleads guilty, and the Court fixes June 6th. 1895 at 9 A.M. as the time when judgment will be rendered |
| " | 4 | Defendant files bail bond in the sum of $250.00 for his appearance with E. W. Winters & John Phillips as sureties. |
| " | 6 | At the time set the defendant is in Court and the Court renders judgment as follows. It is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of Battery committed in Fresno County on the 1st day of June 1895 as charged in the complaint herein that you the defendant Sam Phillips be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 120 days. |

S. C. Sr. John
Justice of the Peace

120 days. Com

| 1895. | | |
|---|---|---|
| July | 2 | S. R. Hart representing defendant makes a motion for a new trial |
| " | " | Motion for new trial denied. Defendant excepts. |
| " | " | Notice of Appeal filed |
| " | " | Bond on appeal filed. |
| " | 3 | Transcript and papers on appeal filed with County Clerk |

No. 176.

# In the Justice's Court of the Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California. Plaintiff

vs.

S. Ohannessian alias John Doe Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Geo Atmegian |
|---|---|---|
| June | 3 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 3 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 3 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states of "My true name is S. Ohannessian". |
| " | 3 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises, he thereupon asks that he be allowed until June 4th. 1895 at 9:30 A.M. to plead— Defendants bail fixed at $150.00 which is given with K. M. Nishkian and J. A. Sweet as sureties. |
| " | 4 | Defendant in Court and pleads not guilty and on his motion trial is set for June 6/95 at 2 P.M. |
| " | 6 | At the time set defendant is in Court and waives a jury and the trial proceeds. Geo. Atmegian & H. Atmegian are sworn and testify for the people — People rest. S. Ohannessian is sworn and testifies in his own behalf. The matter is submitted and the court finds as follows:— It appearing to the Court from the testimony that no public offense has been committed the case is ordered dismissed, the defendant discharged and the bail exonerated— |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed

No. 1707

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Abraham Saffar — Defendant

Action Insanity

Demand $.....

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. A. P. Lyon |
|---|---|
| June 3 | Complaint filed & Warrant Issued |

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No. 178.

# In the Justice's Court of The 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Eugene Sommers — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

6

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. P. C. S. McMahon |
|---|---|
| June 4 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " 4 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " 4 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Eugene Sommers." |
| " 4 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty — Defendants trial is set for June 4th. 95 at 4 P. M. |
| " 4 | Defendant in Court at the time set and announces himself as being ready for trial and waives a jury and the right to have counsel and the trial proceeds. P. C. S. McMahon is sworn and testifies in behalf of the people and Eugene Sommers is sworn and testifies in his own behalf — The matter is submitted and is by the Court taken under advisement until June 5/95 at 9 A.M. At the time set defendant is in Court and the defendant finds the defendant not guilty and the defendant is ordered discharged |

J. C. S. Fisher
Justice of the Peace

Tried
Dismissed

No. 179.

# In the Justice's Court of the Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

William Crawford — Defendant

Action Seduction under promise of marriage

Demand $

6

G. W. Jones & A. C. Williams
Attorney for Plaintiff

E. D. Edwards & E. S. Van Meter,
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Angie Cowles |
|---|---|---|
| June | 6 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 7 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 7 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is "William Crawford". |
| " | 7 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him of all his legal rights in the premises, Defendants bail fixed at $500.00 which is given with H. C. Marshall and E. L. Gray as sureties. On motion of defendant the time of filing the examination is continued without date. Bail Bond filed — 6/12 Examination set for June 19/95 at 10 AM. |
| June | 15 | Subpoena issued in behalf of people |
| " | 18 | Subpoena returned & filed |
| " | 19 | Foreign subpoena returned & filed |
| " | 19 | At the time set defendant with his counsel are in Court and the prosecution and defendant announce themselves ready and the examination proceeds. C. Scribner is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination. Miss Angie Cowles is sworn and testifies for the people Before testifying the Court orders on motion of the prosecution and consent of defendant that the proceeding be held with closed doors. Miss Angie Cowles then testifies in behalf of the people The people rest. Defendant rests. Defendant moves that the ~~the~~ case be dismissed and defendant discharged. Motion is denied and defendant excepts. The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that the offese of seduction under promise of marriage has been committed as charged in the complaint and there being sufficient reason to believe the defendant guilty thereof it is the order of this Court that the defendant William Crawford be held to ~~answer~~ appear before the Superior Court of Fresno county and answer to the charge of seduction under promise of marriage with bail fixed at $ 500.00 Done in Open Court this 19th day of June 1895. S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace Bail Bond filed Held to answer. Papers delivered to Dist Atty. |

180

No. 180

# In the Justice's Court of the 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Jesse Morrow Jr. — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

6

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Grace Dye 1740 Mar. St. |
|---|---|---|
| June | 6 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 6 | Warrant returned Served & filed |
| " | 6 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Jesse Morrow Jr." |
| " | 6 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises ~~waives~~ asks for time in which to plead — Defendants bail fixed at $50.00 Cash or and undertaking in the sum of $100. Defendants deposits / Gold Watch as security for his appearance. |
| " | 15 | Upon investigation the Court finds that the evidence in this case is not sufficient to warrant placing the defendant on / trial and it is ordered that this case be dismissed the defendant discharged and his bail exonerated. — |

S C St John
Justice of the Peace

No. 181

# In the Justice's Court of the Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Henry Wilson — Defendant

Action Battery.

Demand $

6

Attorney for Plaintiff
W. C. Thompson.
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. D. Spivey. |
|---|---|
| June 10 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " 11 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " 11 | Defendant in court and to the court states "My true name is Henry Wilson." |
| " 11 | Defendant in court and duly arraigned and being by the court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $200.00 which is given with John Faye & G. W. Hicks as sureties. |
| June 25 | Subpoena issued in behalf of People |
| " 26 | Above Subpoena returned & filed |
| " 26 | Defendant in court and his trial is set for June 28/95 at 2 P. M. |
| " 28 | At the time set defendant in court and files affidavit for change of venue and on motion of his counsel this case is ordered transferred to Justice H. J. Austin's court of this township for trial<br>D. C. St. John<br>Justice of the Peace |
| June 28 | Papers delivered to Justice H. J. Austin. |
| | Transferred to H. J. Austin's Court. |

182

No. 182.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Ah. Sti, — Defendant

Action Burglary

Demand $

6

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. K. M. Niskian |
|---|---|---|
| June | 11 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | 12 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 12 | Defendant in court and to the court states "My true name is Ah Sti" |
| " | 12 | Defendant in court and duly arraigned and is by the court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail fixed at $1000. Not given |
| " | 28 | Defendant in court and on motion of the district attorney this case is dismissed So. ordered — S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |

Dismissed,

No. 183

# In the Justice's Court of The 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff
vs.
Nettie Abbott alias Nettie Rollins
Defendant

Action Felony Embezzlement

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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S. J. Hinds
Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Albert Harlan |
|---|---|---|
| June | 11 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| July | 31 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 31 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Nettie Rollins" |
| " | 31 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against her and of all her legal rights in the premises Defendants bail fixed at $500. which is given with A. D. Green and W. W. Abbott as sureties |
| " | 31 | Bail bond filed |
| Aug | 1 | On motion of S. J. Hinds counsel for defendant the examination is set for Aug 6th 1895 at 10 AM |
| " | 2 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the People |
| " | 3 | Subpoena served returned & filed |
| " | 6 | At the time set defendant and her counsel in Court and upon investigation the Court finds that the value of the property alleged to have been embezzled is $20.00 and the defendant herein having been charged with felony, the Court orders this case dismissed, the defendant discharged and her bail exonerated |

S C S John
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed.

No. 154

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Tong Ker — Defendant

Action Playing the game of Fan

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dumas |
|---|---|
| June 13 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| | Void no charge to County. |

No. 185.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

William Leonard alias William Miller — Defendant

Action Indecent Exposure

Demand $

6

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Crutcher |
|---|---|---|
| June | 14 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 14 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 14 | Defendandant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is William Leonard" |
| " | 14 | Defendant in Court and duly arraig ned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty - Defendant waives time for judgment and the Court renders judgment as follows - |

Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the crime of Indecent exposure of the person committed at Fresno County on the 13th. day June 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant William Leonard do pay a fine of $10.00; and in case said fine be not paid within one hour from this time of rendering judgment that you the said William Leonard, defendant be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno, State of California until the fine be duly satisfied in proportion of one days imprisonment for every dollar of the fine, or until lawful payment shall have been made of such portion of said fine as shall not have been satisfied by imprisonment at the rate above prescribed -

S. E. Johns
Justice of the Peace

Done in Open Court this June 14th 1895

$10.00 or 10 days, committed.

186

No. 186.

**In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,**

**County of Fresno State of California.**

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Oliver Dahl — Defendant

Action Assault with a deadly Weapon

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Michael Burns |
|---|---|---|
| June | 14 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 15 | Warrant served returned & filed, |
| " | 15 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Oliver Dahl |
| " | 15 | Defendant in Court and is duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the Premises. On motion of the defendant his examination is set for June 21st 1895 at 10 A.M. Defendants bail fixed at $200.00 which is given with J. H. Hunt & John Schmid as sureties |
| " | 21 | At time set defendant in Court and asks that his examination be continued on the ground of absent witnesses. Granted |

No. 187

# In the Justice's Court of Ther Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California Plaintiff

vs.

William Palmer alias. Billy Palmer Defendant

Action Escaping from Prison other than a States Prison a Misdemeanor

Demand $

175 ds. 6

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. F. Stevens |
|---|---|---|
| June | 15 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | 15 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 15 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is William Palmer" |
| " | 15 | Defendant in Court and is duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises, he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty. He also waives |
| " | 15 | time for judgment and the Court renders judgment as follows, viz: It is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of "Escapcaping from a prison other than a States Prison committed at Fresno County on the 7th. day of June 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant William Palmer be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 175 days |

Done in open Court this 15th day of June 1895

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Pleads Guilty
175 ds. Com

188

No. 188

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Fong Ah Chung, Fong Ah Shock, Louie Chung Hock, Louie Ah Lep. Louie Ah Gip — Defendant

Action Assault with a deadly Weapon

Demand $

6

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Chung Wong Gow |
|---|---|---|
| June | 15 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | | Warrant served served returned & filed |
| " | | Defendants Fong Ah Chung and Louie Ah Gip in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Fong Ah Chung" & "My true name is Louie Ah Gip." Defendants Fong Ah Chung and Louie Ah Gip in Court and ~~being~~ are by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises, Defendants bail fixed at $500. each which is given with Ah Kit and Jung Chung Jung as sureties. |
| June | 24 | On motion of defendants the examination is set for hearing June 26th 1895 at 2 P. M. |
| " | 26 | At the time set defendants Fong Ah Chung and Louie Ah Gip announce themselves ready and the complainant not appearing within one hour from the time set, now on motion of the District Attorney this case is dismissed as to defendants Fong Ah Chung and Louie Ah Gip and they are ordered discharged and their bail exonerated — |

J. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Fong Ah Chung } Dismissed.
Louie Ah Gip }

No. 189

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Hang Chung — Defendant

Action: Playing the game of Fan

Demand $:

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|
| 1895 | J. W. Dumas |
| June 15 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| | Void no chg. to County. |

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No. 190

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of

Plaintiff

vs.

R. E. Ritchie

alias John Doe

Defendant

Action Embezzlement a felony

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Jacob Staring |
|---|---|
| June 19 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |

No. 191

# In the Justice's Court of The 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Ah. Bow and Ah Hock — Defendant

Action Malicious Mischief

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. H. Travilian |
|---|---|---|
| June | 19 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued. |
| " | 19 | Warrant served returned & filed. |
| " | 19 | Defendants in court and to the state respectively "My true name is Ah Bow" & "My true name is Ah. Hock. |
| " | 19 | Defendants in court and duly arraigned and being by the court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead guilty, and waiving time for judgment the court renders judgment as follows. Wherefore it is by this court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the crime of malicious mischief committed at Fresno county on the 19th day of June 1895 as charged in the complaint herein that you the defendant Ah Bow and you the defendant Ah Hock do each of you pay a fine of $2.50 |

S. C. St John
Justice of the Peace

Done in open court this 19th day of June 1895

Plead Guilty.
Fine $2.50 each Paid.
Paid to County Treasurer

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No. 192

# In the Justice's Court of The 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Mrs. G. Amundola — Defendant

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Action: Battery

Demand $:

Dist. Atty & W. D. Crichton — Attorney for Plaintiff

Mark Walser — Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Mrs. A Favini |
|---|---|
| June 21 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " 21 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " 21 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Mrs. G. Amundola. |
| " 21 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against her and of all her legal rights in the premises she thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendant's trial is set for June 24th, 1895 at 2 P. M. Defendant is permitted to go on her own recognizance |
| " 24 | Venire for 15 jurors issued |
| " 24 | Venire returned & filed |
| " 24 | Defendant with her counsel in Court at the time set and all parties announce themselves ready and the trial proceeds. J. H. Giger, J. F. Brown, L. B. Church A. Noble, W. H. Harris, J. Armstrong, M. A. Morgan, ~~F. G. Hoffard~~ Geo. A. Tripp, C. W. Music, Jack Carpenter, E. M. Augustine, & C. S. Greenberg are sworn as jurors to try the case, Louis Smith is sworn as Italian interpreter. Mrs. A. Favini is sworn and testifies in behalf of the People. Interpreter Smith is excused on account of bias and D. Imperatrice is sworn as Italian interpreter. People Rest. Mrs. G. Amundola and Mr. G. Amundola are sworn and testify in behalf of the defendant— The matter is argued and submitted and Officer Albin is sworn to take charge of the jury who retire to deliberate and afterward return into Court with the following verdict. Fresno, June 24/95. "We the jury find the defendant not guilty. signed Geo. A. Tripp, Foreman. Whereupon the Court orders the defendant discharged— |
| | Tried not Guilty |
| June 24 | Verdict filed |

D. H. Johnson
Justice of the Peace

No. 193.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

May Daulton — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. Marcelle Leduc |
|---|---|
| June 24 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " 25 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " 25 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is May Daulton". |
| " 25 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the crime charged against her and of all her legal rights in the premises she thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendant allowed to go on her own recognizance |

No. 194

# In the Justice's Court of The 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff
vs.
Gee Wen, Song Ba, Men Hon, Ah Hung, & Ah Wee
Defendant

Action
Playing the game of Tan

Demand $

G. W. Jones
Attorney for Plaintiff

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Mark Walser
Attorney for Defendant

1895 DATE. PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dumas

June 25 Complaint filed & Warrant issued
" 25 Warrant served returned & filed
" 25 Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is Gee Wen". "My true name is Song Ba." "My true name is Men Hon" "My true name is Ah Hung" "and "My true name is Ah Wee"
" 25 Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they ask for and are given until June 26th 1895 at 10 A.M. as the time to plead Defendants bail fixed at $100. each which is given with Bow Wo Tong and San Sam Sing as sureties.
" 26 Defendants in Court at time set & plead not guilty
" 26 Defendant Gee Wen's trial is set for July 9/95 at 9 A.M.
July 9 Venire issued for 25 jurors ~~[illegible]~~
July 9 At time set defendant Gee Wen and his counsel are in Court and there being no witnesses for the prosecution present the case as to defendant Gee Wen is dismissed, defendant discharged —
* June 26 Defendant Song Ba's trial set for July 23/95 at 9 A.M.
July 19 Subpoena issued in behalf of the people —
" 20 Above subpoena returned & filed —
" 22 Defendant demands jury trial and a venire for 25 jurors is issued
" 22 Venire returned & filed,
" 23 At the time set all parties including defendant Song Ba. and his counsel in Court, announce themselves ready & the trial proceeds. O. Scribner is appointed & sworn as short hand reporter for the purposes of this trial. Major Dennett, J. W. Beall, C. C. Lyon Ed. Fore, L. Davis, W. Rolf, G. W. Smith, L. Manuel, J. S. McCormick J. Carlile, C. B. Harkness & Charles Leasure are sworn as jurors to try the case —
J. W. Dumas, John Albin, B. T. Alford & Frank Farris are sworn and testify in behalf of the People and

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No. 195

# In the Justice's Court of The 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Ah Wa, Ah Da, Ah Jung and Ah Lee — Defendant

Action Playing the game of Fan

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

J. W. Dumas

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|---|
| June | 25 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 25 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 25 | Defendants in Court and to the Court plead respectively "My true name is Ah Wa," "My true name is Ah Da" "My true name Ah Jung" & "My true name is Ah Lee." |
| " | 25 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon ask and are granted until June 26th 1895 at 10 A.M. as the time to plead Defendants bail fixed at $100. each which is given with Bow Wo Jong and Dan Dan Ding as sureties. |
| " | 26 | At the time set defendants in Court & plead not guilty |
| " | 27 | On motion of defendants trial is set for |

No. 196

# In the Justice's Court of The 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of State of California
Plaintiff
vs.
W. S. Scott
Defendant

Action
Search Warrant
Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

1895 DATE. PROCEEDINGS. Mrs. E. F. Bartlett

June 26 Affidavit for Search Warrant filed
" " Search Warrant issued
" 28 Search warrant returned

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defendant makes a motion that this case be dismissed on the ground that the evidence is insufficient and that the prosecution had failed to make out a prima facie case
Motion to dismiss denied and defendant notes exception
Wong Tie is sworn as chinese interpretor
Song Ba, and Gee Wing are sworn and testify in behalf of the defendant - The matter is argued and submitted and S. S. Crutcher is sworn to take charge of the jury who retire and afterward are brought into Court and ask that the testimony of J. W. Dumas be read to them. The short-hand reporter not being present the jury is again placed in charge of the officer and retire for deliberation.
After a time the jury are again brought into Court and state that it is impossible for them to agree upon a verdict. The Court after questioning a number of the jurors who all state that an agreement is impossible and upon the defendant giving his consent the Court orders the jury discharged -

Done in open Court this July 23rd 1895.
S. C. Sr John
Justice of the Peace

* June 26 Trials of other defendants set as follows. Mun Hon July 24/95 at 9 AM
" 26 Ah Hung July 25/95 at 9 AM. + Ah Wee July 26/95 at 9 AM.
July 25 Defendants demand jury trials
Defendants Mun Hon, Ah Hung + Ah Wee file affidavits for change of venue - See page 197.

No. 197

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Ah. Ote. — Defendant

Action Petit Larceny

Demand $

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Misdemeanors $7.00
Felonies 45.00

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Albin |
|---|---|
| June 28 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " 28 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " 28 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Ah Ote." |
| " 28 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty and also waives time for judgment and the court renders judgment as follows. viz: Wherefore judgment is here rendered and entered and it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of ~~Petit~~ Petit Larceny committed in Fresno County on the 24th day of April 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant Ah Ote be confined in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of sixty days. S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |
| | Pleads Guilty<br>60 days. Committed. |
| | No 194 |
| 1895 | People vs Gee Hen et als. |
| July 30 | The motion of defendants "Mun Hen", "Ah Hung" and "Ah Wee for change of venue is this day granted and it is ordered that the trial of said defendants Mun Hon, Ah Hung and Ah Wee be transferred to the Court of A. Albrecht. justice of the Peace of the 4th Township of Fresno County. |
| July 31 | Transcript and Papers on change of Venue delivered to A. Albrecht. J. P. S. C. St John Justice of the Peace |

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No. 198.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Fred Bopp — Defendant

Action Threatned Offense

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. P. Hubert |
|---|---|---|
| June | 29 | Information filed and Warrant Issued. |
| July | 1 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 1 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Fred Bopp." |
| " | 1 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises whereupon he controverts the charge and on his motion the time for taking the depositions is set for 3 o'clock P. M of this day— |
| " | 1 | At the time set defendant in Court and the examination proceeds. Miss Lou Bearden is appointed short hand reporter for the purposes of this examination P. Hubert is sworn and testifies in behalf of the people Fred Bopp is sworn and testifies in behalf of defendant. It is stipulated that the depositions be transcribed by the short hand reporter and signed by the witnesses when prepared— |
| July | 5 | The testimony of Fred Bopp. and P. Hubert having been reduced to writing and subscribed by said witnesses and it appearing to me from all the testimony that there is just reason to believe that said offense against the person of said P. Hubert will be committed by said defendant Fred Bopp, it is the order of this Court that the defendant Fred Bopp enter into and undertaking in the sum of $200.00 with two or more sureties to keep the peace towards the people of the state of Cala and particularly toward the informant P. Hubert for the period of six months.<br>S. C. St. John<br>Justice of the Peace |
| July | 11 | Peace Bond filed with H. Graff & N. Johnson as sureties |
| " | 11 | Peace Bond filed with County Clerk |

No. 199

# In the Justice's Court of The 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Edward Broad — Defendant

Action Threatened Offense

Demand $

1 Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

1895 DATE. PROCEEDINGS. A. C. Harmon

July 1 Information filed & Warrant Issued
" 1 Warrant served returned & filed.
" 1 Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Edward Broad".
" 1 Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises whereupon he converts the charge.
Defendants bail fixed at $500. which is given with H. H. Welsh & Chas W. Barrett as sureties.
" 6 On motion of defendant the examination is set for July 8/95 at 2 PM
" 8 At the time set defendant in Court with his counsel and the examination proceeds. It is stipulated that the testimony be taken down in short-hand and reduced to writing and then to be subscribed by witnesses. Miss Lou Brandon is appointed short hand reporter for this purpose A. C. Harmon, and Mrs. A. C. Harmon are sworn and testify in behalf of the people. It is stipulated that the depositions be transcribed by the short hand reporter and signed by the witnesses when prepared.
July 10 The testimony of Mr. A. C. Harmon & Mrs. A. C. Harmon having been reduced to writing and subscribed by said witnesses and it appearing to me from all the testimony that there is just reason to ~~believe~~ fear the commission by the said Edward Broad of said offense against the person of the said A. C. Harmon, it is the order of this Court that you the defendant Edward Broad enter into an undertaking in the sum of $500.00 with two or more sureties to keep the peace toward the People of the State of California and particularly toward A. C. Harmon for the term of six months.

S. C. S. Polen
Justice of the Peace

Undertaking filed with C. W. Barrett & H. H. Welsh as sureties
Undertaking & bail with County Clerk

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No. 200

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

James Foley — Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

1. Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Geo Mathuson |
|---|---|---|
| July | 2 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 2 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 2 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is James Foley." |
| " | 2 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty and demands a jury trial Defendants bail fixed at $200. Not given |
| " | 16 | Defendant in Court and his trial is set for July 22nd 1895, at 10 A.M. Defendant is permitted to go on his own recognizance. |
| " | | D. C. St John Justice of the Peace |

Floated.

No. 201.

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

Antonio Eignaino
Defendant

Action
Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Geo. Matheson |
|---|---|---|
| July | 2 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | 2 | Warrant served returned & filed, |
| " | 2 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Antonio Eignaino". |
| " | 2 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendant demands and immediate trial and the Court after examining the complaining finds the evidence insufficient to convict and orders this case dismissed and the defendant discharged |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed

No. 202

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California Plaintiff

vs.

Leo Pero alias Joe Doe Defendant

Action Grand Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

W. D. Crichton & Ben Winters

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. R. Siebers |
|---|---|---|
| July | 2 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | 5 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 5 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Leo Pero" |
| " | 5 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail fixed at $1000. Not given. Defendants examination set for July 12/95 at 10 AM. |
| July | 15 | At the time set defendant in Court with his counsel and announces himself ready and the examination proceeds - Miss Lou Beardon is appointed short-hand reporter for the purposes of this examination. Rudolph Siebers is sworn and testifies for the people. The People rest. It appearing to the Court that the testimony is insufficient to show that the offense charged has been committed or that the defendant is guilty thereof, it is ordered the the case be dismissed and the defendant discharged |

SCS John
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed.

No. 203.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

William Stone and Ed. Fischer — Defendant

Action Misdemeanor

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. L. Fergusen. |
|---|---|---|
| July | 2 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | 2 | Warrant served returned returned & filed |
| " | 2 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is William Stone" & "My true name is Ed. Fischer |
| " | 2 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them of all their legal rights in the premises whereupon they waive time and plead not guilty. Defendants are allowed to go on their own recognizance. |

Floated

No. 204.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Township State of California.

The People of the State of California Plaintiff

vs.

Leo Pero Defendant

Action Embezzlement (Petit)

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Ben Winters

Attorney for Defendant

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| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. M. Church |
|---|---|---|
| July | 4 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 5 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 5 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Leo Pero." |
| " | 5 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants bail fixed at $250.00 not given. |
| July | 8 | On motion of defendant his trial is set for July 11/95 at 9 AM |
| " | 11 | The Court being engaged in the trial of another case this trial is continued to 2 P. M. of this day— |
| " | 11 | At the time set defendant and his counsel are in Court and Dept. C. E. Freeman respresents the People— Defendant waives a jury and the trial proceeds. J. M. Church, A. S. King, are sworn and testify in of the people— People rest. Defendant moves that this case be dismissed, motion denied Leo Pero and Joseph Stocks are sworn and testify in behalf of defendant. Defendant rests A. P. Blackler and Clyde Olney are sworn and testify for the people in rebuttal. The matter is submitted and by the Court is taken under advisement |
| July | 12 | The Court this day finds the defendant Not Guilty and the ~~It appearing to the Court from the testimony that no public offense has been committed, at least that the testimony is insufficient to convict the defendant of the offense charged in the complaint herein it is ordered that this case be dismissed and the~~ defendant is discharged— |

S. C. St. John

Justice of the Peace

Not Guilty

No. 207

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California Plaintiff

vs.

John Tosp Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Wm Swiggett |
|---|---|---|
| July | 5 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 5 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 5 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is John Thorp. |
| " | 5 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises – Defendant given time in which to plead and allowed to go on his own recognizance |
| Aug. | 1 | Upon examining the witnesses in this case the court finds the evidence insufficient to convict and this case is ordered dismissed & the defendant discharged. |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Dismissed

No. 206

# In the Justice's Court of The 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff
vs.
Thomas Demaris
Defendant

Action Grand Larceny

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Kate Mitchell |
|---|---|---|
| July | 5 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | 5 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 6 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Thomas Demaris" |
| " | 6 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and ~~being~~ is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail fixed at $1000, which is given with Sam Ralston and S. Lehman as sureties. Defendants examination set July 6/95 at 2 P.M. Subpoena issued in behalf of defendant. |
| " | 6 | Defendant returned & filed in Court with his counsel and announces himself ready for the examination. After waiting a reasonable length of time and the complainant failing to appear, on motion of the Dept. District Attorney Williams that on account of absence of said complainant this case is dismissed for want of prosecution, the defendant is ordered discharged and the bail exonerated |
| " | | S. C. St. John Justice of the Peace |

Dismissed by Dep. Dist. Atty.

No. 207

# In the Justice's Court of ..... Township,

County of ..... State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Wilson alias John Doe — Defendant

Action Indecent Exposure

Demand $.....

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

1895 DATE. PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Crutcher

July 5 Complaint filed and Warrant issued

" 6 Warrant served returned & filed

" 6 Defendant is Court and to the Court States "My true name is John Wilson".

" 6 Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premisis he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty and also waives time for judgment the Court renders judgment as follows:

Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the crime of Indecent Exposure committed on the 5th. day of July 1895 in Fresno County as charged in the complaint that you the defendant John Wilson be confined in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of fifteen days—

S. S. Crutcher

Justice of the Peace

Plead guilty—
15 ds. Com.

No. 208

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California
Plaintiff

vs.

James Warren and James Coltney
Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dumas |
|---|---|---|
| July | 6 | Complaint filed and Warrant issue |
| " | 6 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 6 | Defendants in Court and to the Court state respectively "My true name is James Warren" & "My true name is James Coltney |
| " | 6 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time & plead not guilty. Defendants trial continued indefinitely Defendants having the appearance of industrious men and having the promise of employment the Court allows them to go on their own recognizance |

S C S John
Justice of the Peace

Floated

No. 209

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California Plaintiff

vs.

G. D. Hatch Defendant

Action Petit Larceny

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. S. S. Crutcher |
|---|---|---|
| July 6 | | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 6 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 6 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is G. D. Hatch". |
| " | 6 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty and also waives time for judgment and and the Court renders judgment as follows. Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of Petit Larceny committed at Fresno County on the 6 th. day of July 1895 that you the defendant G. D. Hatch be confined in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of Sixty days — |

S C St John
Justice of the Peace

Plead Guilty —
60 days. Com.

210

No. 210

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Harry Nagayama — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Lung Yen |
|---|---|---|
| July | 8 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | 8 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Harry Nagayama". |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waive time and pleads guilty and waives time for judgment and the Court renders judgment as follows- |

Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of Battery committed at Fresno County on the 8th day of July 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant Harry Nagayama do pay a fine of $ 5.00. Defendant pay the fine and is discharged—

S Ash John
Justice of the Peace

Fined 5.00 Pd.
Paid to County Treasurer

No. 211

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Edward Jones — Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. E. Ragsdale |
|---|---|---|
| July | 8 | Complaint filed & Warrant Issued |
| " | 8 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Edward Jones" |
| " | 8 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises, he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. |
| " | 9 | Upon investigation the Court finds the defendant is industrious and a position having been offered him this case is ordered dismissed and the defendant discharged—<br>S. C. H. John<br>Justice of the Peace |

Dismissed

No. 212.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Charles Carson Frank Cumming Robert Weeks & Frank Curtain — Defendant

Action: Vagrancy

Demand $:

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

Weeks 30 ds.
F. Cumming floated –

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dumas |
|---|---|---|
| July | 9 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 9 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 9 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states respectively "My true name is Charles Carson", "My true name is Frank Cumming" "My true name is Robt Weeks and "My true name is Frank Curtain". |
| " | 9 | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and are by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them and of all their legal rights in the premises. they thereupon waive time and defendants: Charles Carson, Frank Cumming and Frank Curtain plead not guilty. and defendant Robert Weeks pleads guilty – and waiving time for judgment the Court renders judgment as follows. Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of vagrancy committed at Fresno County on the 9th. day of July 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant Robert Weeks be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno County for the term of 30 days. – |

S C St John
Justice of the Peace

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| July | 16 | Chas Carson, Frank Cumming and Frank Curtain. Floated |

Robt. Weeks Pleads Guilty
30 ds. Com.

No. 213.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno. State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

John Doe + Richard Roe — Defendant

Action Grand Larceny

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. J. P. Farris |
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| July 9 | Complaint filed and Warrant Issued |

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No. 214

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Joseph W Brandon — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895. DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Fred Wells |
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| July | 10 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | 11 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 11 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Joseph W Brandon." |
| " | 11 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises, he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty as charged and he also waives time for judgment and the Court renders judgment as follows. Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of Battery committed at Fresno County on the 9th day of July 1895 as charged in the complaint herein that you the defendant Joseph W. Brandon do pay a fine of $5.00 Defendant pays $5.00 fine and is discharged |

Sam John
Justice of the Peace

Plead Guilty
fined $5.00 Costs

Pd. to County Treasurer $9.50

No. 215

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Sadie Anderson alias Kate Anderson — Defendant

Action Petit Larceny

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Mrs. E. J. Myrick |
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| July | 10 | Complaint filed and Warrant Issued. |
| " | 10 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 10 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Sadie Anderson". |
| " | 10 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against her and of all her legal rights in the premises, she thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendants bail is fixed at $100. which is furnished with James Graham and Gus Lamond as sureties |
| " | 11 | The Court upon examining the witnesses in this case and finding that defendant came into possession of the property lawfully and there being no sufficient evidence to sustain the crime of embezzlement, now on motion of complainant it is ordered that this case be dismissed and the defendant discharged and bail exonerated. |

S C St John

Justice of the Peace

No. 216.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Fred Wills — Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

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| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Geo Anderson |
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| July | 10 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| " | 11 | Warrant served returned & filed) |
| " | 11 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is Fred Wills". |
| " | 11 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned |
| " | | and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads not guilty. Defendant permitted to go on his own recognizance |

No. 217

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Charles Harris — Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff
W. P. Thompson
Attorney for Defendant

F. Elgin

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. |
|---|---|---|
| July | 12 | Complaint, Affidavit for change of venue and Transcript for Docket of Records Court filed |
| " | 12 | On motion of Defendant trial is set for July 13/95 at 10 AM. |
| " | 12 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the people. |
| " | 13 | Subpoena returned & filed |
| " | 13 | At the time set defendant is in court with his counsel and states that he is ready for trial, waives a jury and the trial proceeds— J. F. Barrett, Frank Elgin, & A. M. Clark are sworn and testify in behalf of the people. The people rest. The defendant offers no testimony and on his motion the case is dismissed and the defendant discharged on the ground that the testimony is insufficient to show that a public offense has been committed. D C St John Justice of the Peace |

Dismissed.

No. 218

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California Plaintiff

vs.

Bud Hunsaker Defendant

Action Burglary

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

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Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Geo Woods |
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| July | 15 | Complaint filed and Warrant issued |
| Sept. | 21 | Warrant served returned and filed |
| " | 21 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and to the Court states "My true name is Bud Hunsacker" and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail fixed at $1500. Not given. |
| Oct. | 27 | On motion of defendant the examination for Nov. 1/95 at 2 P.M. |
| " | 31 | Subpoena issued in behalf of the people |
| " | 31 | Subpoena served returned & filed |
| Nov. | 1 | At the time set defendant in Court announces himself ready and the examination proceeds Miss Lou Bearden appointed short hand reporter. Geo. Woods, Geo. Larsen and Geo. Ristian are sworn and testify in behalf of the people. The people rest. Defendant rests. The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court from the testimony that the offense of burglary has been committed at then being sufficient cause to believe the defendant Bud Hunsaker guilty thereof it is the order of this Court that you the said defendant Bud Hunsaker be held to appear before the superior Court of the County of Fresno and answer to the charge of burglary with bail fixed at $1500. and you are committed to the charge of the Sheriff until said bail is furnished— |

S C S John
Justice of the Peace

Examined
Held to answer.

No. 219

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

William Esterly alias John Doe — Defendant

Action: Arson

Demand $:

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E. W. Williams — Attorney for Plaintiff

Cook — Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Andrew Iverson |
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| July | 15 | Complaint filed & Summons issued |
| " | 15 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 15 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is William Esterly." |
| " | 15 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and is by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises. Defendants bail fixed at $500. Not given. Defendants examination set for July 20/95 at 10 A.M. |
| " | 20 | On Motion of defendant the trial is continued to July 27/95. 2 P.M. |
| " | 27 | At the time set defendant and his counsel are in Court and all parties announce themselves ready and the examination proceeds |

C. Scribner is appointed short hand reporter.

Andrew Iverson, L. Smith and W. E. Smith are sworn and testify in behalf of the people—

The matter is submitted and it appearing to the Court that there is no sufficient reason to believe the defendant guilty of the crime charged in the complaint the Court orders the defendant discharged—

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Examined
Discharged

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No. 220

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

H. Kuntsen — Defendant

Action Disturbing the Peace

Demand $

7 Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. F. Barrett |
|---|---|---|
| July | 15 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | 15 | Warrant served returned & filed |
| " | 15 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is H. Kuntsen" |
| " | 15 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty: and having waived time judgment the Court renders judgment ~~for~~ as follows- |

Wherefore it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of Disturbing the Peace committed at Fresno County on the 14th day of July 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the said defendant H. Kuntsen do pay a fine of $10.00 and in case said fine be not paid within one hours from this time of rendering judgment that you the said H. Kuntsen defendant be imprisoned in the Jail of Fresno, State of California until the fine be duly satisfied in proportion of one days imprisonment for every dollar of the fine or until lawful payment shall have been made of such portion of said fine as shall not have been satisfied by imprisonment at the rate above prescribed —

Done in Open Court this 15th day of July 1895

S. C. St John

Justice of the Peace

Plead Guilty

Fined $10.00 or 10 ds. in Jail. Committed.

No. 221.

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

F. E. Neubauer — Defendant

Action Malicious Mischief

Demand $

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Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. Leibold |
|---|---|---|
| July | 15 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | 15 | Warrant served returned & filed. |
| " | 15 | Defendant in Court and to the Court states "My true name is F. E. Neubauer |
| " | 15 | Defendant in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against him and of all his legal rights in the premises he thereupon waives time and pleads guilty to the charge and he also waives time for judgment and the Court renders judgment as follows. |

Wherefore judgment is hereby rendered and it is by this Court ordered and adjudged as a punishment for the offense of Malicious Mischief committed at Fresno County on the 14th day of July 1895 as charged in the complaint aforesaid that you the defendant F. E. Neubauer do pay a fine of $7.50 and in case said fine be not paid within one hour from this time of rendering judgment that you the defendant F. E. Neubaur be imprisoned in the County Jail of Fresno. State of California until the fine be duly satisfied, in proportion of one days imprisonment for every dollar of the fine, or until lawful payment shall have been made of such portion of said fine as shall not have been satisfied by imprisonment at the rate above prescribed

Done in open Court this 15th July 1895.

S. C. St John
Justice of the Peace

Plead Guilty
Fined $7.50 or 7 1/2 ds. in Jail. Committed.

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No. 222.

# In the Justice's Court of The 3rd Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

George King, Felix Misgie and Jas. McCormick — Defendant

Action Vagrancy

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

| 1895 DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. J. W. Dumas |
|---|---|---|
| July | 16 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |
| " | 16 | Warrants served returned & filed |
| " | 16 | Defendants in Court and to the Court states respectively. "My true name is George King", "My true name is Felix Misgie" & My true name is Jas McCormick". |
| " | " | Defendants in Court and duly arraigned and being by the Court duly informed of the nature of the charge against them & of all their legal rights in the premises they thereupon waive time and plead not guilty. The defendants appearing to be men looking for employment their cases are continued and they are permitted to go on their own recognizance— |

S. C. St. John
Justice of the Peace

Floated

No. 223

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Tuscon State of California

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

J. H. Watterman alias John Doe

And Richard Roe — Defendant

Action Battery

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

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| DATE. | PROCEEDINGS. W. W. Buchanan |
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| 1895 July 16 | Complaint filed & Warrant issued |

224

No. 224

# In the Justice's Court of The Third Township,

County of Fresno State of California.

The People of the State of California — Plaintiff

vs.

Charles Harris — Defendant

Action: Interfering with an officer in the execution of his duty

Demand $

Attorney for Plaintiff

Attorney for Defendant

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| DATE. | | PROCEEDINGS. Frank Elgin |
|---|---|---|
| 1895 July | 16 | Complaint & Transcript for Records Court Filed |
| " | 16 | Defendant in Court and his trial is set for July 22nd 1895 and the defendant is permitted to go on his own recognizance |

S C St John
Justice of the Peace

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Walter Gardley
Alf Wrightson
Ed Simmons — } Alander

Coat stolen May 18/95
in Lizzies brick S side
of Tulare St —